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### Religious Intelligence.

PLYMOUTH CHURCH.—The religious services which have been held in this church during this week were very fully attended, and of the most impressive character. A serious and earnest religious purpose marks the congregation and the services. The meetings will be continued during the coming week. On Monday afternoon, at three o'clock, a Mother's Prayer Meeting will be held. These services are in the church, on Hand street. To-morrow the pastor, Rev. Henry D. Moore, will preach in the Academy of Music, at the usual hours of service. In the evening the sermon will be addressed especially to mothers and to young women, concerning their duty and their influence in these times of revival.

BIBLE REVISION.—The friends of Bible Revision propose organizing a society, auxiliary to the American Bible Union, on Tuesday next, at the new chapel of the First Baptist Church, in this city. A business meeting will be held at 10 o'clock, A. M. In the evening addresses will be delivered by distinguished friends of the cause, among others Rev. Thomas Armitage, D. D., a prominent divine of New York.

BETHEL WORK.—The Western Seamen's Friend Society has been engaged, for many years, in the benevolent work of ministering to the intellectual, religious and social wants of the people who transact business upon the great waters, and even of those who have been engaged in the no less important labor of conducting our railroads. It has lately started up to a yet more vigorous effort. Its field has been rearranged, and new appliances are about to be put into operation. Rev. J. A. Swaney, of the Pittsburgh Conference, who was some time in a Seamen's chaplaincy, in South America, has been appointed one of the Secretaries, with a district reaching through Eastern Ohio, West Virginia and Western Pennsylvania. This is the initiatory step towards what is contemplated for all the West.

Rev. Israel Dallas, the former efficient Chaplain in the port of Pittsburgh, has been again appointed to this place, and will be assisted by the Rev. Mr. Johnson. Mr. Dallas spent the last year in Cleveland in abundant and most successful labors. He always makes his mark. Though now without a place for preaching, he is diligently preparing for his work, and our citizens may expect to hear from him ere long. We are persuaded they feel an abiding interest in the noble work, which the Western Seamen's Friend Society is steadily pushing forward.

THE NOONDAY PRAYER MEETING, at the First Methodist Church, Fifth street, is still more largely attended than ever, although several similar assemblages in other parts of the city convene at the same hour. The incidents of the meetings are various and some of them remarkable. Among the special requests yesterday were the following: "A sister for a dear young brother, that he might become a Christian;" "A friend for four young persons who now they are sinners, but who do not *feel* their need of a Savior;" "A young convert for a particular friend who is an infidel;" "A Sabbath School teacher for her class, two of whom have already been influenced by the Holy Spirit;" "A lady for some young friends who are making an effort to establish a prayer meeting among the factory girls;" "A brother for the immediate conversion of an absent young brother;" "A young friend for the conversion of his father's family of nine persons of whom he is the only Christian;" "Two young persons for a gentleman and his wife who are both members of the church, but apparently indifferent about the privileges of the Gospel;" "A stranger for a husband, companion and only son," &c.

We have specified only the *point* in each request above-named, and would just here suggest to persons making such requests, that they write them in as few words as possible, inasmuch as considerable time is lost by superfluous language, especially since so many are put on the leader's table every day for attention. Reference was made to these earnest appeals for prayer by different speakers, and the subject of them tenderly presented at the throne of grace. The responses are seen in tears, rather than heard in amens, and the exercises most orderly and impressive every day. Frequently mention is made of direct answers to previous prayers in behalf of subjects presented at the noonday meeting.

The music employed is that of familiar social hymns, sometimes led by a singer at the melodeon, but oftener by volunteers in different parts of the crowded room. Sometimes the effect of the singing is imposing, when such words as "Come to Jesus just now," "The angels are hovering round," or "Sweet Hour of Prayer" are made to rise above the noises of the street and fill the sanctuary with the harmonies of praise.

Generally the leader is a young layman of some one of the evangelical churches, and not unfrequently a very recent convert to Christianity. But the timid manner and trembling tone of such young disciples, "standing up for Jesus," only add to the beauty and impressiveness of the service. If we should indulge in a criticism at all it would only be this: That sometimes too many verses of scripture are read, for it would be more profitable to select such gospel themes as are presented, in from one to ten verses, and to read the brief, pointed passage in a tone loud enough to be heard throughout the entire audience. In a meeting for special prayer, comments on scripture words are hardly as appropriate as in other social religious services, unless it be such overflowing heart-utterances as we have heard from the lips of speakers who, in a single minute, have made both exposition and application of the word. The voices of young converts are always the most impressive in the meeting, even if their words be broken. Indeed we have thought at times that the clergy should, in some way, beforehand, encourage their young men, respectively, to take upon themselves the responsibilities of the meeting, and come praying for strength to pray and speak. The words of yesterday that will be remembered by most and remembered longer, are those of the young man who rose and said the prayers of his mother, patiently continued for twenty-five years, had just been answered in his own heart, by the conscious pardon of his sins.

The ministers of the different denominations are about equally represented. Several hard-working pastors we see present every day; and their presence, even if they speak not a word, always adds interest to the exercises and encouragement to the young people with whom they have so often talked and prayed in other places during the winter. The attendance of ladies is large and regular, in all kinds of weather, rain or shine, the same. We would urge any persons who have not yet visited the Monday prayer meeting on Fifth street, to do so without delay, for it is one of the most remarkable events of the day, and is daily repeated.

REV. S. M. HICKMAN, the newly appointed pastor of the M. E. Church, South Common, Allegheny, is a valuable acquisition to the ministerial talent of the city, being a faithful pastor as well as an able preacher. He is thus spoken of by the *Independent*, Massillon, Ohio, the field of his recent labors: "During his sojourn with us, Mr. Hickman has by his genial manner and gentlemanly deportment made troops of friends who would gladly have looked upon his cheerful countenance and listened to his earnest teachings for a long time to come, but the powers that be have seen proper to transfer him to a larger field, and we congratulate the church of Allegheny on the fact that our loss is their gain."

REV. GILBERT HAVEN, a distinguished traveler and writer, and one of the New York *Independent's* regular contributors, has been elected editor of *Zion's Herald*, an independent journal published in Boston, in the interest of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Mr. Haven is a thorough radical in political matters, and a fervent worker in ecclesiastical reform.

THE Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at the session of its Baltimore Conference, has settled the question of its name to be henceforth, "The Episcopal Methodist Church," and at the same time decided in favor of lay delegation. The Methodist Protestant Church, South, including the Maryland and Southern Conference will, in all probability, ere long unite with the Episcopal Methodist Church, as their views, both politically and ecclesiastically, as well as doctrinally, now agree.

THE regular monthly meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held in the Lecture Room of the First Methodist Church, Fifth street, this evening, at 7½ o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

REV. GEORGE BROWN, D. D., one of the founders of the Methodist Protestant Church, will preach to-morrow morning at 10:30, in the Methodist Church, Fifth street, (Mr. Clark's,) and Rev. H. B. Knight, of Cleveland, will address the same congregation at 7 P. M., in behalf of the freedmen. There have been about fifty accessions to this church within the last six weeks.

THE revival interest still continues without abatement in the church of Rev. Herrick Johnson (Third Presbyterian,) and also in the Congregational Church, Rev. H. D. Moore's. Many other churches are sharing the same influence, and hundreds are being converted. Even the prisoners in the jail are asking for prayers and calling for spiritual advisers.

REV. Dr. Cookman, of Philadelphia, and at one time pastor of Christ M. E. Church, Penn street, visited Pittsburgh last week, preaching Sabbath morning and evening to his former congregation, and spending a few days among friends. He is universally beloved on account of his amiable Christian spirit.

THE Cincinnati Protestants are indignant at the noise and parade of the Roman Catholics on St. Patrick's day. The Evangelical Ministerial Association of that city have passed resolutions of impatience, and the religious newspapers of Protestant denominations are loud in their complaints. St. Patrick must keep quiet or he will wake up snakes!

THE revival in the Methodist church at …stown still continues. Rev. D. I. K. Rine, pastor, has received upwards of one hundred and fifty members since November last.

THE *Catholic World*, published by Lawrence Kehoe, New York, enters upon a new volume with the April number. It is a large monthly magazine, filled with very entertaining reading matter by the ablest scholars in the church, and is distinguished for its charity toward Protestants, as well as for its spirit of progressiveness and liberality in other directions. It is worthy a place in every Christian home.

## FIRST EDITION.

**12 O'CLOCK, M.**

## THE CAPITAL.

**Relief for the Destitute South.**

**The New York Custom House Frauds.**

**Collector Smythe's Conduct to be Further Investigated.**

**Proposal to Release Jeff. Davis.**

**The Reconstruction Supplement Veto.**

**Enforcement of the Bankrupt Law.**

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, March 22, 1867.

**Relief of the South.**

The principal action of Congress to-day was the defeat by the House of the Senate bill appropriating one million of dollars for the relief of the destitute people in the South. The House voted down all substitutes but one, which authorizes the Secretary of War to use the funds appropriated for the Freedmen's Bureau for relieving destitution. The Senate will doubtless accept the modification of their bill.

**The New York Custom Frauds.**

The House also disposed of the New York Custom House case by authorizing the Committee on Public Expenditures to investigate if Collector Smythe had been guilty of high crimes and misdemeanors, and to report articles of impeachment. As the committee are authorized to sit during the recess, this course does not necessarily prolong the session.

**Release of Jeff. Davis.**

Senator Wilson's concurrent resolution providing that if Jeff. Davis cannot be tried at once, that he be released from confinement, introduced to-day in the Senate, meets with some favor in both houses, but can hardly be passed in its present shape. A substitute to release him on bail, it is believed, will be readily adopted.

**The Reconstruction Supplement.**

The message of the President relating to the supplemental reconstruction bill was read in the Cabinet meeting this afternoon. It was given out at the capitol to-day that the President had decided to sign the bill under protest, and send in a message to that effect, but the better impression to-night seems to be that it will be a straight out veto. It is the understanding to pass the bill over the veto at once.

**The Bankrupt Law.**

It is found not to be practicable to enforce the Bankrupt law at once. Senator Anthony, therefore, introduced a proposition to-day suspending its operations, except in the matter of appointments under the act, until June first. The matter was referred to the Judiciary Committee, where a bill is pending to transfer the appointment of registers under the act from the Chief Justice to the District Judges of the United States.

**The President.**

The President was so busy to-day with other matters that he made no nominations to the Senate, nor did that body hold its executive session as usual.

**Suffering in North Carolina.**

The Commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau has received a report from the Assistant Commissioner for the State of North Carolina, showing the condition of affairs in that State during the month of February. He states that there are at least six thousand persons in North Carolina suffering from want of food, of which number two-thirds are white. Three thousand bushels of corn were distributed during the month, sent by the Southern Relief Commission of New York city.

**Internal Revenue.**

The Internal Revenue receipts to-day were very small, reaching only two hundred and twenty thousand dollars.

**The Maryland Senatorship.**

The Senate Judiciary Committee have held a meeting relative to the Maryland Senatoria cause, but have done nothing. The cause will lie over until next session.

**Cincinnati Postmaster.**

No nomination has been made for Postmaster at Cincinnati. The friends of Colonel Jones are opposing several candidates who have been mentioned for the place.

**Adjournment.**

It is believed that a caucus will be held Monday night to decide the question of adjournment. The House will be ready to adjourn Tuesday, but it will be necessary for the Senate to remain in session all of next week to dispose of its executive business.

**Snow and Rain.**

A severe snow storm has prevailed here all day. To-night it is succeeded with rain, and Washington is threatened with inundation.

WASHINGTON, March 22.

GEN. SICKLES.

It is said General Sickles will have the Brigadier General's position, vacated by General Rosecrans.

THE HORSE PLAGUE.

Commissioner Newton, of the Agricultural Department, has taken steps to examine into the malignant horse plague which is sweeping through New Jersey. It is a throat distemper without any cough, followed by rapid prostration, chills and death.

TREASURY INVESTIGATION.

The Committee on Retrenchment charged with the investigation of the financial condition of the Treasury, commenced its labors to-night at that department.

THE VETO.

The veto message concerning the supplemental reconstruction bill was the subject of Cabinet consideration to-day.

MILITARY MATTERS.

Brevet Major D. R. Silliman, Assistant Surgeon, has been relieved from the Department of Dakotah, and ordered to report to the retiring Board. Brevet Brigadier General Rufus Saxton has been authorized to delay reporting to his commanding officer as Chief Quartermaster of the Department of Missouri until further orders.

DEBT OF VIRGINIA.

The Legislature of Virginia has passed a law providing for the payment on the first of July next, and January 1st, 1868, at each period, two per cent. interest on the principal of the public debt, that being the interest which the State feels obliged to pay until there is a settlement of accounts here and in West Virginia.

## HIGHLY INTERESTING.

NEW YORK, March 22, 1867.

WEATHERBOUND.

The steamer Australian, from Liverpool, is outside waiting for a pilot. The gale continues. A pilot boat which unsuccessfully attempted to board her lost one man overboard.

HEAVY FAILURE.

The failure of Robinson & Ogden, Broad street, dealers in Government securities, is reported. The firm made an assignment. Liabilities are stated to be $2,000,000.

A GOVERNMENT EXCHANGE.

An effort is being made to establish an exchange for the purpose of transactions in Government securities exclusively.

VESSEL DETAINED.

The steamer Merrimac, from Brazil, is detained till Monday, to carry the one hundred and fifty emigrants coming here on the steamer Mariposi, detained at Hampton Roads by the storm.

CITY HALL PARK.

The committee of the Common Council will report in favor of reconsidering the action of the city government agreeing to take a half million dollars for a portion of City Hall Park as a site for a postoffice.

FIRE.

The principal building of the American Water Proof Clothes Company's work-house, in Bridgeport, Connecticut, was burnt on Wednesday. Loss covered by insurance.

SNOW STORM.

There was a snow storm in Washington, Philadelphia and Baltimore to-day.

A VIOLENT GALE.

A violent northeast gale is still prevailing outside Sandy Hook. The steamship Australia, in from Liverpool, is outside the bar, unable to come up, as the pilot boats do not dare to venture out. An unsuccessful attempt was made to reach her this afternoon.

**Five Hundred Freedmen in Council.**

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 22.—A meeting consisting of five hundred freedmen, under the auspices of the Union League, was held last night. Speeches and resolutions of a radical character were made. A few whites participated.

**Murderer Executed.**

TROY, N. Y., March 22.—Hiram Coon, convicted of the murder of Mrs. Larker, in the town of Petersburg, in October last, was executed to-day. He made a statement denying his guilt.

## FORTIETH CONGRESS.

**The Case of Jefferson Davis.**

**Proposed Impeachment of Collector Smythe.**

**Extension of Time of Operation of Bankrupt Law.**

WASHINGTON, March 22, 1867.

SENATE.

Mr. FERRY presented a petition for a more stringent enforcement of the United States laws in Utah, and better protection of the rights of American citizens. Referred.

Mr. COLE introduced a bill to divide California into two judicial districts. Referred to the Judiciary.

Mr. MORTON introduced a bill to conform the laws of practice in the courts of the United States to the laws of the respective States. Referred to the Judiciary.

Mr. RAMSEY presented memorials from the Minnesota Legislature on various subjects. Referred.

Mr. WILSON presented concurrent resolutions, which were ordered to be printed. The preamble recites that Jefferson Davis stands charged with the heinous crime of conspiracy to murder the late Abraham Lincoln, and is also indicted for high treason, and has persistently declared his innocence, and demanded a speedy public trial; therefore,

*Resolved*, That longer confinement of said Jefferson Davis, without trial or arraignment for a specific time of trial, is not in accordance with the demands of justice, the spirit of the laws and the requirements of the Constitution, and that common justice, sound public policy and national honor unite in recommending said Jefferson Davis to be brought to a speedy and public trial, or that he be released from confinement on bail, or on his own recognizance.

Mr. MORGAN, from the Committee on Finance, reported a substitute for a bill reported yesterday for the exemption of agricultural implements imported as models, from import duties. The substitute consists of two sections. The first exempts from duty, works of art imported for presentation to the United States, or any State or city. The second directs the Secretary of the Treasury to refund duties collected during the last fiscal year, on agricultural implements imported as models, and exempts such articles from duty until June 3d, 1868.

Mr. SHERMAN offered an amendment authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to discontinue the employment of persons engaged in the collection of direct tax in Southern States, when in his judgment expedient, and impose the duties of such persons upon collectors of internal revenue, who perform them without additional compensation. The amendment was agreed to and the bill passed.

The joint resolution directing the reimbursement of Indiana for money expended for supplies, &c., furnished to the Indiana militia called out to repel invasion, was considered. The pending question was on motion of Mr. Sherman to include Ohio. After some debate, Mr. Pomeroy urging the claim of Kansas and Mr. Patterson that of Tennessee, the subject was on motion of Mr. Edmunds recommitted to the Military Committee.

The Senate, by a vote of 29 agaist 9, concurred in the House amendment to the joint resolution appropriating a million dollars for the relief of the destitute at the South.

The bill of last session for the relief of the heirs of John E. Bouligny was passed.

Mr. MORRILL introduced a bill authorizing full allowances to certain non-commissioned officers and enlisted men, detached from their regiments by order of the War Department to be attached to brigades organized in New York by Brigadier General Daniel Ullman, but who by reason of capture by the enemy were not immediately mustered into such brigade. Referred to the Military Committee.

Mr. TRUMBULL called up the bill to amend the Bankrupt bill by repealing the provision for the appointment of registers of bankruptcy by the Chief Justice.

Mr. CONKLING moved to refer the bill to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. ANTHONY moved to amend by adding a section providing that the Bankrupt act shall not take effect until June 1, but officers and registers may be appointed at any time after the passage of this act. The bill and amendments were then referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. MORGAN introduced a resolution, which was agreed to, instructing the Committee on Foreign Affairs to inquire into the expediency of the United States becoming a party to the treaty of Geneva for the amelioration of the condition of wounded soldiers.

The Senate agreed to the amendments of the House resolution directing the Secretary of War to furnish arms to Tennessee. Also an amendment to the joint resolution exempting wrapping paper from internal tax.

Mr. WILSON, from the Military Committee, reported a substitute for the bill of Mr. Morton to reimburse Indiana for expenses in repelling rebel raids. It provides for the appointment of three commissioners to examine and audit the claims of Ohio and Indiana, and appropriates a sufficient sum to pay them. Bill passed. Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The Senate joint resolution for the relief of the destitute in the South and Southwest was taken up. The amendments reported from the Committee of the Whole were agreed to. The resolution then passed—yeas, 91; nays, 31.

Mr. BAKER presented the memorial and resolutions of the river improvement Convention held in St. Louis last month. Referred to Committee on Commerce.

The resolution reported yesterday by Mr. Hurlburd, from the Committee on Public Expenditures, was taken up and modified by Mr. Hurlburd so as to read:

*Resolved*, That it is the sense of this House that Henry A. Smythe should be immediately removed from the office of Collector of New York, and the Clerk of the House cause certified copies of this resolution to be laid before the Senate and the President.

Mr. HURLBURD moved the previous question. The House refused to second the previous question, whereupon Mr. Stevens moved to amend the resolution by making it read that Henry A. Smythe be impeached. After considerable debate the subject went over till to-morrow.

The House then proceeded to the business on the Speaker's table, and disposed thereof as follows: The Senate amendment to House joint resolution placing certain troops of Missouri on equal footing with others as to bounties. The amendment strikes out the words "and those borne on the rolls as slaves." On motion of Mr. M'CLURG, the amendment was concurred in, and the joint resolution goes to the President.

The Senate amendment to House bill to exempt wrapping paper made of wood or corn stalks from Internal tax was taken up. The Senate amendment adding a new section imposing a tax of ten per centum on notes of any town, city or municipal corporation, that are passed by any National Bank was considered and amended by adding a provision exempting from Internal tax wrapping paper of all description. The Senate amendment as amended was concurred in by 68 to 58.

The Senate joint resolution to terminate the contract of a member of Congress with the Postoffice Department, was considered.

Mr. TERRY moved an amendment empowering the Postmaster General to reject any bid he may deem exorbitant. Agreed to, and joint resolution, as amended, passed.

The Senate joint resolution to make valid certain acts of New Mexico Legislature has passed.

Senate joint resolution directing the Secretary of War to furnish arms and equipments to Tennessee sufficient for 2,500 militia, to be accounted for by the State of Tennessee to the United States Government, was amended by increasing the amount to 10,000, and passed.

The SPEAKER appointed Messrs. Laflin, Ela and Cake members of the Joint Committee on Printing.

Mr. VAN WYCK offered the following resolution, which was referred to Joint Committee on Reconstruction.

*Resolved*, No more large guns or cannon of any kind shall be ordered, purchased, transported or mounted at the cost of the United States until it has been determined by practical experiment that guns of large sizes, such as are now placed on ships or forts, are capable of enduring heavy charges, and of being fired rapidly; that no more projectile carriages, implements, or stores intended for such guns shall be paid for until the qualities of the guns shall be thus determined, and no more of Springfield or other muskets shall be altered to breach loaders, nor of those which require the barrel to be lined for the purpose of reducing the calibre.

On motion of Mr. McCLURG, the time for taking testimony in Missouri contested election cases of Anderson and Van Horn be extended sixty days.

The SPEAKER was allowed leave of absence to-morrow, and nominated Mr. Schenck to occupy the chair.

On motion of Mr. BANKS, the President was requested to communicate copies of correspondence, legal proceedings and other documents relating to suit of the United States against Prioleu and others, pending in the English Court of Chancery, and the Secretary of State be authorized to make the communication.

Mr. STEVENS moved to suspend the rules so as to resume the consideration of the impeachment resolution of Henry Smythe. The rules were suspended, 95 yeas, 33 nays.

A motion to postpone the resolution to December was negatived, only 13 votes being given in the affirmative.

Mr. STEVENS then moved the previous question, which was seconded. The amendment offered by Mr. Stevens as a substitute for the resolution reported by Mr. Hulrburd, was agreed to, with the addition that the Committee have power to sit during recess.

Adjourned.

## NEW YORK LEGISLATURE

**The Constitutional Convention Bill--Taxes to be Refunded.**

ALBANY, March 22.—The Constitutional Convention bill yet hangs in Conference Committee. It was the Assembly which struck out the negro suffrage clause.

The Senate to-day ordered the Judiciary Committee to report a bill to refund to banks and insurance companies the taxes collected from them on Government securities.

**The Cental System in Boston.**

BUFFALO, March 22.—The Board of Trade to-day rescinded its former action adopting the cental system, also in declaring that a barrel of flour should contain 200 pounds, thus practically returning to the old system.

## HARRISBURG.

**The Revised Statutes---The Veto in the Senate---Speaker Hall Indignant---Fourth Ward, Allegheny City---Paying Recruiting Officers---The Franklin "Repository"---The Central Railroad's $40,000,000 Bill---The State Agricultural Society---Alderman Strain's Police Bill---Riots in Schuylkill County.**

Special Correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.

HARRISBURG, March 21, 1867.

THE REVISED STATUTES.

The joint resolution authorizing a revision of the Pennsylvania statutes, to which reference was made in this correspondence yesterday, was this morning so amended as to add the Attorney General to the Commission.

THE VETO IN THE SENATE.

Last evening the Senate passed the Pennsylvania Railroand's $40,000,000, or unlimited bill over the Governor's veto by a vote of 20 to 9. Before the vote was taken, Speaker Hall decided, in violation of all parliamentary rules and usages, that the question was not debatable, but that the Senate must at once proceed to the question of reconsideration. Of course the condition of this decision in the interest of the Pennsylvania Central, was, that Hall should be "let up," and allowed to continue his legislative joke of looking one way and rowing another, by voting in favor of the veto. Here are the yeas and nays:

Yeas—Burnett, Connell, Donovan, Fisher, Glatz, Haines, Jackson, James, Landon, McCandless, McConaughy, Randall, Ridgway, Royer, Schall, *Searight, Stutzman, Taylor*, Walls, Worthington—20. Nays—Bigham, Billingfelt, Browne, (Lawrence), Brown (Mercer), Davis, Graham, Lowry, White, Hall, *Speaker*—9. Messrs. Coleman, Cowles, and Wallace, would, I am assured, have voted with the nays if they had been present. It will be observed that three western Senators, Messrs. Searight, Stutzman and Taylor, voted to override the veto. If they have reflected the honest wishes and convictions of the sections which they represent, then the writer has been largely misinformed. It will be remembered that Mr. Quay, from Beaver, was a prominent advocate of this obnoxious bill.

HALL'S INDIGNATION.

When Governor Geary's veto message was read in the Senate yesterday, Senator Bigham moved the printing of five thousand copies. Speaker Hall sustained an amendment to print five hundred, stating that as the veto would undoubtedly be published in the Pittsburgh COMMERCIAL for the benefit of Senator Bigham's constituency, he should vote for the smallest number. Oh consistency! Here is a vote to barter away the authority of the Commonwealth, and to authorize the printing of only five hundred copies of the Executive's manly protest against such dangerous legislation.

FOURTH WARD, ALLEGHENY CITY.

Senator Graham this morning put a bill through the Senate authorizing the School Directors to settle up the bounty fund and borrow $20,000 for the erection of a new school house.

PAYING RECRUITING OFFICERS.

A considerable portion of the morning session was used up in a debate on House bill No. 492. It provides that the benefit of the act of April 16th, 1862, and supplements granting pay and emoluments to certain officers for recruiting, be extended to officers who recruited after April 22, 1863, and prior to April 1, 1865. To receive the benefits of said act and supplements, all applications are to be made within one year from date of proposed act. From such claims, all Government and local bounties received by the applicant are to be deducted. After being amended by limiting the total amount to be paid to $50,000, claims to be paid in the order of filing, and that only such persons as had been mustered into the United States service should be so paid, and then only by the State Treasurer, and not through any claim agent, the bill passed.

THE FRANKLIN "REPOSITORY."

That inveterate wag, and unscrupulous lobbyist, Alexander McClure, of the Franklin *Repository*, denies the assertion of this correspondence, that he was in the House aiding to defeat the Connellsville bill. He was not in the House "for a few minutes," as he says, but a much longer time. He will not deny that he stated in the presence of several gentlemen that the thing was "set up" fifty-five votes. McClure's hostility to the Pittsburgh and Connellsville road is well known. He was member of the Legislature when the infamous repealing act was passed, and was the leading spirit of legislation detrimental to every interest of the western counties. He is a director of that mythical line, the Southern Pennsylvania Railroad. In the same issue of his paper he says, "We of Pittsburgh know how things are done in the Legislature." He therefore begs "the Pittsburgh papers to save their indignation, and liberalize their business operations." Twenty members of the Legislature made the same suggestion to the President of the Connellsville road through an agent, but without presuming to speak for the Pittsburgh papers. I believe that what the Franklin *Repository* recommends is exactly what the people of the West will never do. They have rights in common with other sections of the State, and when they resolve to make all political organizations subordinate and subsidiary to those rights, they will be recognized. Time and organization will save the West the infamy of initiating the subsidizing and prostituting tactics of the Pennsylvania Railroad. Pittsburgh does know how some things are done, for instance: the passage of the bill for the relief of Chambersburg, and so does your correspondent. Shall he tell it?

A FIFTEEN MILLION DOLLARS BILL—THE SCOTT COON COMING DOWN.

The vote in the Senate last evening, overriding the Governor's veto, showed that on notice, and with a full Senate, the Central Junta have not a two-thirds vote. On a count of noses in the House, they were evidently afraid to try the Senate game. This morning they circulated in the House a new Senate bill, No. 1053, read in place by Mr. Connell last evening but dated a day back. It is a bill of a single section. "That the provisions of the second section of the act to which this is a supplement, shall be so changed and modified as to make it lawful for the Pennsylvania Railaoad Company from time to time to issue not exceeding in the aggregate, four hundred thousand additional shares of its capital stock. The board of directors shall not have the power to issue all or any part of the said increase of stock unless they are specially authorized to do so by a resolution passed at a regular or special meeting of the said stockholders. All parts or provisions of said act to which this is a supplement that may be inconsistent with the provisions of this act be, and the same are hereby repealed." This bill is dated Tuesday, the 19th, but was offered in the Senate Wednesday evening, 20th inst., at 9 o'clock. Copies were scattered all over the House this morning, although the bill is not yet on the files of the Senate. You will notice that the Janta recede from their first bill, so far as to limit the increase to $20,000,000, instead of an indefinite amount, and consent that the increase must be authorized by the stockholders instead of the directors. To that extent they admit the justness of the Governor's veto objections. Scott was asked to-day in the rotunda if the original bill would be moved, over the veto, in the House to-day. He answered that it would not come up until they had the requisite number of votes to carry it. If they are not sure of their men, they will probably fall back on this $20,000,000 bill. This bill came into the House at 3:30 with the veto messsage. The latter was read, and the supplement bill laid on the table.

ANOTHER TURN OF THE WHEEL.

Near the hour of adjournment, six o'clock, Mr. Quay introduced the bill with further modifications. It repeals the act of 1866, which authorized the company to increase its capital stock ten millions, and authorized them to issue 300,000 shares, or $15,000,000 additional stock, and places the disposition of it in the hands of the stockholders instead of Directors, thus conceding two of the Governor's objections. This is the special order for to-morrow morning at nine o'clock.

THE STATE AGRICULTRAL SOCIETY.

The President, J. Boyd Hamilton, to-day sent a petition to the Legislature on behalf of the same society, asking an appropriation of $1,000, to be used in scientific experiments to determine the best method of utilizing night soil. Report of experiments to be made before the meeting of next Legislature.

ALDERMAN STRAIN'S POLICE BILL

Is entitled "An act dividing the city of Pittsburgh into four police districts, and relative to drunkenness and disorderly conduct therein," It provides that there shall be four police districts, to be bounded as follows: The first by the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers, the center of Grant street and the center of Washington street, produced to the Allegheny river; the second by the said produced line of Washington street, the center of Liberty, produced to the city line, the city line and the Allegheny river; the third by the center of Grant street, center of Fifth street, center of Pennsylvania avenue, city line and Monongalhea river; the fourth to comprise that part of the city not contained within the boundaries of the first, second and third districts.

That within the first district, the Alderman acting in the Fourth ward under the oldest commission; within the second district the Alderman acting in the Fifth ward under the oldest commission; within the third district the Alderman acting in the Eighth Ward under the oldest commission; and within the fourth district, the Alderman acting in the Sixth Ward, under the oldest commission, shall have jurisdiction co-ordinate with the Mayor of said city in all cases of drunkenness and disorderly conduct occurring within the limits of said districts respectively. Said aldermen to receive the same fees in cases of drunkenness and disorderly conduct as are now allowed by law. The said aldermen are to keep an account with the county, in which they shall charge the county with all costs they are unable to collect and credit it with all fines received by them. Balances against the county shall be canceled, but if there be balances in favor of the county, the aldermen shall pay over such balances. Accounts to be made up monthly and verified by the oath of the several aldermen. This bill is now in the printer's hands, and will soon be on the House calender for the regular readings.

DISORDER IN SCHUYLKILL COUNTY.

There have been some fifty murders in Schuylkill county during the past three years, and all the perpetrators have gone unpunished. The disorder, and danger to life is now greater than ever. At a mass meeting held in the county last evening, a committee of fifty was appointed to visit the Legislature and solicit relief. They brought a series of resolutions adopted by the meeting, which were read before the House. The people of the county want the Legislature to organize a special police for the county. The petition and accompanying act were referred.

WHITEWASHING.

I understand that a correspondent from this capitol is endeavoring, through a daily paper in Allegheny county, to whitewash the character of certain parties who should have voted with the Western members on important railroad issues, but did not. This is only a waste of ink, however profitable to the needy correspondent. We have the record, the yeas and nays, for future reference. *

[From an Occasional Correspondent.]

**The Vote of T. B. Seabright and Others on the Unlimited Bill.**

HARRISBURG, March 21, 1867.

Your regular correspondent has before this furnished you with the veto message of Governor Geary upon the bill, which, like Tittlebat Titmouse's "bill to give everybody everything," is now sought to be passed, giving the Pennsylvania Railroad, or rather the Directors thereof, the power to do *anything* and *everything;* and I only wish to call attention to one or two matters connected therewith, which I will do in careful language, lest I may subject you to being called before our Investigating Committee, when you won't be be asked anything, and if you attempt to tell anything, will be told that it is either irrelevant or hearsay, and of no consequence.

The veto is acknowledged to be ably and forcibly written. Why the Governor saw fit to pass over some of the gravest legal objections to the bill, in order to state others, can only be accounted for upon the supposition that these were too plain to need elucidation, and that he might state the others in language which the entire population of the State could appreciate, and in which he could warn the people of the growing encroachments upon their liberties, which are being yearly made by this mammoth corporation, which now, by its evident control of the Legislature, despite the reasoning of the veto, is endangering every interest of the State, East and West, which is not subservient to *its interests*. No party ties seem to bind men against the blandishments of this corporation. At one time it was evident that the Democracy intended to make good use of this question, and charging upon the Republicans falsehood to their professions made during their canvass last Fall, to endeavor to so illume their almost extinguished political camp-fires, and with an anti-corporation blaze endeavor to wake to power again. But the conduct of some of their leaders will fortunately put an end to this. Scaright, of Fayette, the acknowledged leader of the Western Democracy in the Senate, whose local interests would seem to be all antagonistic to the grasping demands of the Pennsylvania Railroad, goes with it "through and through," and votes for the passage of the bill even after the veto. We give the Democracy of Fayette, the Gibraltar of that almost extinct organization, joy of their representative, and congratulate them that while they adhere to a defunct party they continue to elect a representative who has absolved himself from the old tenets of the party, and goes as far as the farthest for a corporation that won't permit his constituents even to complete a railroad which would give them an outlet West. This may be modern Democracy and *modern enlightenment*, but we opine some of the old hard heads won't see it.

Others of similar standing in the Democratic party have acted in an equally incomprehensible way, and with equal disregard of the interests of their constituents. Of the base betrayal of all our western interests by some of our own men in both Houses, who have won unenviable notoriety in this piece of legislation, I intend to speak again and will endeavor to do so in language comprehensible and clear.

NOW AND THEN.

THE residence of Charles Hanke, Market street, Wheeling, was robbed on Wednesday, of eight thousand dollars.

A LOCOMOTIVE exploded, on Thursday, near Littleton, on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, killing Otto Burwell, George Artist and R. Robinson, all residents of Wheeling.

MUCH testimony has been taken by the Impeachment Committee going to show that there has been gross violation of law in giving property to rebels in violation of law, and establishing disreputable conduct at the White House.

THE Philadelphia Conference of the Methodist Church, after a session of one week, adjourned Wednesday evening. Over $500,000 were collected last year within the limits of its jurisdiction, for church purposes, and eighteen large churches and eleven parishes were created during the same time.

THE Cleveland *Herald* publishes most of the veto message of Governor Geary, which it says is an able document, and adds: "If the bill becomes a law, the legislators of Pennsylvania ought to retire for the rest of their lives on the handsome competency they have doubtless secured."

THE citizens of Mansfield have indorsed the action of the Vigilance Committee, and assessed the expenses on the city, county, and railway companies. The neighborhood having been so thoroughly purged by the Regulators, the Common Pleas Court, which convened on the 19th, has a very small criminal docket.

YOUNGSTOWN MILLS.—A letter dated Youngstown, the 20th, says: Three furnaces were started this morning at Shedd, Clark & Co.'s rolling mill; the men operating them, however, are not among the strikers. The furnaces at Brown, Bonnell & Co.'s mill, are still cold, and the men are still idle. Neither party is yet disposed to yield, and so the silent war goes on.

THE Philadelphia *Bulletin* avers that the officers of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company offered to have the "unlimited" bill recalled by the joint resolution of both Houses, and amend it to restrict the amount of capital, and also to place the power of the increase of stock entirely with the stockholders, instead of the directors.

THE proposition recently presented to reduce the amount of common and preferred certificates, and lay an assessment upon the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad, not meeting with favor by the holders of the securities, it is to be abandoned; the organization will therefore take place without delay, and stock issued in exchange for all outstanding certificates, and the Trustees will give way to the future management by a board of directors.

A PARIS letter says large classes of shop keepers, bed letters and victualers have extraordinary expectations on what they will realize from the flock of foreigners that are to visit the Exhibition. A million of strangers seem to be expected, all of whom—especially Americans—are expected to stay from April to October, leaving behind the large sums they are expected to bring with them. To one who wishes to see Paris this is not the time, but those desiring to see the Exhibition will be justified in paying extra prices for board and lodging. Government and the Commissions under Government have taken grandly large measures for protecting foreign workmen who shall come to study the Exhibition from the exactions of "cheap and nasty" lodging-house keepers and victualers.

GARIBALDI AND ITALY.—A Berlin letter says: There is now no doubt that Garibaldi has made up his mind to put an end to the uncertainties about Rome. He will give the Ministry ample time to go there; but if they do not go, he will. He has probably come to the mainland to stay until this question is settled. His manifestoes destroy the chances of the Ministry in the election; because they will doubtless induce the people to take part in the elections. Still, whatever be the result, you may expect to be informed by the Cable that the Ministry have won. At the last election in Venetia the Ministry sent out telegrams that nearly all the new Deputies were of the ministerial party, though only about one-fourth of them really were so. In that case nobody took the trouble to contradict the story, but the Venetian Deputies voted down the Ministry.

MR. HOE, the celebrated printing press maker, has constructed a rotary steam hair dressing machine. It is in operation in New York, and consists of a large anti-friction balance wheel, supported on a standard, from which runs a leather band, connecting with a shaft, extends over the barbers' chairs the whole length of the shop, and attached to these bands are the rotary brushes which are applied to the head. The power—steam, man, or donkey, whichever is most convenient—being applied to the wheel, away go the brushes at the rate of several thousand revolutions a minute, and before a man is aware of the fact his hair is brushed, and he is ready for the drawing room or opera. It is a fact and the only complaint one makes about this patent combination of cast iron, steam, mahogany, bristles and India rubber is that the fresh, unique and delightful sensation does not last long enough.

## SECOND EDITION.

**4 O'CLOCK, A. M.**

## BY THE CABLE.

**Confederation Against Prussia.**

**NAPOLEON FAVORS THE SCHEME.**

**The Miantonomah in French Waters.**

**South American War Again in Progress.**

**Confederation Against Prussia.**

PARIS, March 22.—It is announced that the Emperor Napoleon favors the confederation of the Governments of Holland, Belgium and Switzerland against Prussia.

**American Vessels in France.**

The Miantonomah and other vessels of the American fleet are still at Port Mahon.

**Steamer Arrived Out.**

QUEENSTOWN, March 22.—The steamer City of Antwerp, from New York, arrived to-day.

LIVERPOOL, May 22.—The steamer Deutchland from New York arrived at Southampton yesterday.

**Inauguration of Italian Parliament.**

FLORENCE, Masch 22.—The National Parliament was inaugurated to-day by King Victor Emanuel, who delivered the usual speech from the throne.

**The South American War.**

LONDON, March 22.—The Brazillian mail steamer has arrived at Lisbon from Rio Janeiro. Active operations have been renewed against Paraguay. The allied fleet had shelled the fortress of Huamata. When last heard from the Spanish squadron had come in sight of and was pursuing the combined fleets of Chili and Peru.

**London Money Market.**

LONDON, March 22, Evening—Consols steady at 91 for money; 5-20s 74½; Illinois Central, 78½; Erie 39.

**Frankfort Money Market.**

FRANKFORT, March 22, P. M.—United States bonds sold to-day at 77½.

**Liverpool Markets.**

LIVERPOOL, March 22.—Cotton declined ⅛d for middling uplands since noon, and figures are now 13¼d. Market extremely dull. No quotable change in other articles.

LIVERPOOL, March 22, Evening—Cotton heavy with downward tendency, quotations at the close being, middling uplands at 13⅜; Orleans 13¾. The sales to-day amounted to 7,000 bales.

Breadstuffs quiet. Corn—Mixed western at 41s3d per quarter. Provisions—Extra prime mess beef declined to 125s per 304 pounds. Produce—Ashes, pots, 34s per cwt. Resin—Common Wilmington, 9s 3d per cwt. Linseed cakes, 10 pounds for thin oblong. Petroleum 1s 6d per gallon for standard white.

## MEXICO.

**French Troops Leave Vera Cruz.**

**Liberals will Soon Have Possession of the City.**

GALVESTON, March 22.—A special dispatch to the *Bulletin* from Vera Cruz, dated the 15th, says Marshal Bazaine and the last French troops left on the 12th inst. The French ironclads Magenta, Magniem and Flanders, and a fleet of gunboats, still at Vera Cruz, would sail on the 16th. The Liberals were near Vera Cruz, having possession of the railroad, and an attact was daily expected. A number of Imperialists are understood to have chartered a vessel to be ready at any moment to take them out of the country. No person is allowed to leave the city by the gates, and it is difficult to obtain reliable news from the interior. The impression is that in a short time Vera Cruz will be in possession of the Liberals. Tampico is still occupied by the Imperialists. All quiet there.

## RECONSTRUCTION.

**General Lee Urges the People of Virginia to Vote for a Convention.**

RICHMOND, VA., March 22.—It will be authoritatively announced to-morrow that General Lee is in favor of the people voting for a convention, and every man not actually disfranchised should not only take the necessary steps to prepare himself, but to prepare all his friends, white and colored, to vote right. He thinks the cooperation of all the people, officials and citizens, should be prompt, and that the chief object should be to get as quickly and quietly as possible back into the Union with such rights as are left. He thinks the oath is such as every citizen, not disfranchised, ought now to be able to take, as a simple matter of truth and duty as citizens of the country.

**Attempt to Swindle a Life Insurance Company.**

CHICAGO, March 22.—An attempt to swindle a life insurance company out of $15,000 has been brought to light in this city. The plan embraced a bogus death, fictitious will, stolen corpse, &c. The party insured, and who was reported dead, is a man named Richard Rainforth. Two other persons, named Dr. Chas. B. Kendall and a lawyer named T. W. Fuller, both of this city, are supposed to be implicated in the affair, which is soon to undergo a judicial investigation.

**Michigan Legislature.**

DETROIT, March 22.—In the Legislature today, Lorenzo B. Curtis, of Saginaw, was confirmed State Swamp Land Road Commissioner. The Governor vetoed several more railroad bills for the same reasons as heretofore given. The bill to establish a State Female College was lost in the House.

The Legislature will probably adjourn on Wednesday next.

**Visit of French Ironclads.**

NEW YORK, March 22.—The French ironclads Magenta, Magnamme and Flander, will soon visit Newport and New London. The Magenta's draft of water of thirty feet prevents their coming to New York.

## FROM MEXICO.

**The Issue Depending on a Battle---Great Preparations.**

Mexican letters are from various points and under various dates, the latest being from Mazatlan, dated March 13th. Colima and Tamora had been occupied by the Liberals. President Juarez was at San Luis with detachments of the Liberal army. About five hundred men were at Mazatlan under command of General Martinez. All quiet in Sonora. Corona had levied a tax on all property in the States of Jalisco, Sinaloa and Colima, but it was thought doubtful that Lazada would allow it to be collected in Jalisco, which he holds as neutral. Our Matamoras and San Louis correspondents reiterate the assertion that the fate of the bogus empire rests upon the expected battle between Escobedo and Maximilian. The forces of Corona from the west are closing in for a part in the contest, and on the imperial side the force of Mondez have been recalled from Morelia to reinforce the army at that important point, thus surrendering the last possessions of the empire in the west. Both parties appear intent on mustering their strongest force for one decisive effort, which is believed to be good policy on the part of Escobedo, but on the Imperial side it is thought the best show is in a fight by detail and without delay. Ortega is still a prisoner at Saltillo, and is looked upon as an elephant drawn in a lottery. His captors don't know what to do with him. Orizaba and Cordova were in the hands of the Liberals.

It is reported that all the tobacco manufacturers of the capital had suspended business, owing to the ruinous tax imposed by Maximilian on all kinds of cigars, snuff, &c. This throws an immense number of operatives out of work and endangers the peace of the city of Mexico.

GENERAL POPE.—The ups and downs of life are well illustrated in the case of Major General Pope. Less than five years ago this officer was looked upon as an arrant braggart, a first-class military charlatan, who, with his "headquarters in the saddle," had needlessly sacrificed thousands of brave men at the battle of Bull Run. While some bitterly denounced him, others expressed commiseration for "poor Pope," and he quietly passed from the scene of immediate hostilities, and retired to the distant frontier to fight the red skins. Now, this same officer is, at the request of General Thomas, assigned to the important command of one of the five Southern Departments, embracing the States of Georgia, Alabama and Florida. The truth is, however, many believe that Pope was unfortunate in Virginia through the fault of others, and that the second battle of Bull Run would have had a different termination had no jealousies prevailed among officers. General Thomas, Rosecrans and Halleck have never wavered in their high opinion of Gen. Pope's military ability.—*N. Y. Commercial.*

AN English artist has succeeded in the photographing of guns while being fired. In the pictures which were taken, the moment had been so exactly seized, that the ball could actually be seen protruding from the muzzle of the gun, while in the very act of leaving it. The electric mechanism by which the gun is fired and the plate exposed at the exact instant desired, is said to be exquisitely ingenious.

**Should Bad Measures be Voted for by Wise Legislators when They Can't Obtain Good Ones?**

*To the Editor of the Commercial:*

I see some Senators feel sore under the attentions you extend to them for blunders. One of them gets up in his seat and calls the attention of the Senate to the hard things he alleges the COMMERCIAL has said of them for voting in favor of the bogus Free Railroad bill, and declares that he and his friends who so voted are neither knaves nor fools, but voted for it *as the best they could get*—from the Monopoly, we may suppose. Let us take his word for their honesty, but how stands it as regards their wisdom? Can we take their word for that? Have we seen any one who would admit himself a fool, or rather who did not honestly believe that he was the embodiment of wisdom? We can't, therefore accept these gentlemen for wise men on their own assertion merely, unless it be of the character of wisdom which induced some wise men once to go to sea in a bowl. Judging them by their acts, let us see how they stand as regards wisdom. A fair, honest free railroad bill is presented; a bill on which the people of this State of all classes and political casts were anxious. The enemies of this bill are found nowhere except in a parasitical ring which had fastened itself on the vitals of a certain wealthy railroad company. These enemies know they dare not openly defy the people by opposing so popular a measure directly and squarely; so they resort to indirect and underhand means. They procure a transformation of the bill so as to leave it on, by the name and semblance of a free railroad bill, but make it, in reality, a bill to prevent any railroads being built except under the control of the RING. This is the fact—nowhere disavowed—apparent and transparent, and denounced as a sham and a cheat; as the very opposite of what was intended and desired by the people—so denounced by some of the very men who now say they were no fools in voting for it in its transmogrified shape. But let these gentlemen have the pleasure of believing in themselves and their wisdom.

Of one thing, Mr. Editor, you are sure; the people—the tens of thousands of readers of the COMMERCIAL, approve your course throughout. This is evident from the fact that your cotemporaries are following suit, and even disposed now to outstep the COMMERCIAL in their denunciation of the course of legislation at our State Capital. One of your neighbors the other day had an article, and a very apt and truthful one it was, on the classification of bills by our legislators into "*Roosters*" and "*Pinchers*." The "Roosters" are such as come boldly forward, like the bills of the Pennsylvania Railroad, with money in hand, and ready like fighting cocks to walk through; the other class, the "Pinchers," such as like the coal tax bill, and the bill against pawn brokers, originated by members themselves to pinch money out of particular classes, interests and individuals. Then another staid old neighbor of yours comes out, rather to our surprise, recommending lynch law, declaring that such legislation "*will add to the feeling, steadily growing*, that the people, in virtue of innate sovereignty, and without the formality of judicial process, will be compelled to purge our Legislature by HANGING offenders of this grade." You see, therefore, that your course is not only sustained by the people but imitated by your cotemporaries. *

**The South---White and Black.**

In the ten excluded States (census of 1860) the population of each was thus divided—excepting a rough estimate for Virginia deducting the new State of West Virginia:

| | Whites. | Blacks. |
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| Alabama | 526,431 | 437,970 |
| Arkansas | 324,191 | 111,259 |
| Florida | 77,748 | 62,677 |
| Georgia | 591,588 | 465,698 |
| Louisiana | 357,629 | 335,073 |
| Mississippi | 353,901 | 437,404 |
| North Carolina | 631,100 | 361,522 |
| South Carolina | 291,388 | 412,320 |
| Texas | 421,294 | 182,921 |
| Virginia | 696,711 | 420,535 |
| Total | 4,271,981 | 3,227,699 |

At the present time, making allowances for natural increase on the one hand and the effects of the war on the other, in these ten States, in cutting off the whites and in increasing the blacks by accessions from Tennessee, Kentucky, Missouri and Maryland, brought down for security as slaves during the war, the aggregate population is perhaps now about 4,500,000 whites against 3,750,000 blacks. The blacks are in the majority in South Carolina, Mississippi and Louisiana; and they are probably about equal in numbers to the whites in Georgia, Alabama and Florida; and with universal black suffrage they form a strong balance of power in the other four States.

THE French *do* commit blunders, after all, and huge ones, judging from all that is said about the great Exposition building. The thing, as a whole, has long since been pronounced well nigh a failure; but one of the worst blunders committed by the Imperial Commissioners was laying the floor of the building solid, instead of leaving space between the planks, through which the dust could be swept. In all previous buildings of this character, the floor-planking was uniformly laid down at half-inch intervals; but the Imperial Commissioners, disregarding the advice of experienced architects, laid the floor of their building perfectly tight. The consequence is that the dust is already ankle-deep in some portions of the building, and every effort at removal only makes matters worse by disturbing it. The arrangements for the admission of exhibitors border on absurdity. Each exhibitor and each of his assistants, of whom more than 5,000 are expected to enter the building daily, is to be furnished with a ticket which will also bear the photograph of the holder. As nearly all these 5,000 gentlemen will have to enter the building by the same door, the identification of each ticket-holder by a small and easily defaced photograph cannot fail to be a source of great vexation, annoyance and delay.

AN important change is about to be effected in the Island of Cuba, the Government having issued an order to the effect that the various imposts by which the revenue is obtained, such as the tax on the sale of slaves, the tithes, &c., are to be abolished, and in their place a tax of ten per cent. on incomes derived from real or personal estate, agriculture, &c., is to be levied; the amount of tax on incomes derived from trade, manufactures, professions, &c., has not yet been declared. Among other taxes abolished by this law is the exportation tax upon sugars, tobacco, &c., which was levied upon these articles before they left the country, and which, although not onerous, was often a source of annoyance to shippers.

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WANTED—SASH MANUFACTURERS AND HOUSE BUILDERS—To examine Barney's Patent Flush and Safety Sash. Model to be seen at this office. Rights will be sold.

WANTED—MATRON—At the Home for the Friendless, in Allegheny. Good references required. Apply to Mrs. BREADING, or Mrs. H. P. SCHWARTZ. tf

WANTED—TO SELL—The right of sale in Allegheny county, Pa., of a Valuable Patent. For particulars address E. A., this office.

WANTED—CUSTOMERS—Persons in need of Bill Heads, Cards, Books, or any kind of Job Printing, to call at SEIBERT & CO'S, Steam Book and Job Printers, corner of Fourth and Wood streets.

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WANTED—TO RENT—A House containing six or seven Rooms, in a central part of Pittsburgh or Allegheny. Address immediately, Box F, Commercial office.

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A Sermon by the Rev. Dr. HOWARD is unavoidably deferred. It will be given as soon as possible.

WHEN a great job is on hand for the Company, Vice President SCOTT, himself, takes it in hand. The job of carrying the Stockwatering Bill over the Governor's veto, could be entrusted to no subordinate—hence he promptly repaired to Harrisburg to look after it himself. We have always had a good opinion of the business capacity and thoroughness of the Vice President, but the way he did up this job has increased that opinion to little less than positive admiration. Of course we speak of it purely as a business transaction, and leave the moral aspect entirely out of the account. Like GRANT, or any great commander, he simply determined that a certain thing should be done, and he did it, and so quickly that it must have made some of their heads swim. Could the very able Vice President be induced to say how much it cost?

## THE MONOPOLY TRIUMPHANT.

The contest on the bill granting unlimited power to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company—a sort of triangular one, in which the people, the Legislature, and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company were the parties—has been decided. The Legislature and the railroad have triumphed, and the people are defeated. This is the present aspect of the field. But we imagine it will be only a transient triumph, like the first day at Shiloh, Nashville, in the valley, and a score of other battles, and that the rallying of the people in favor of liberty and right will yet secure to them success and victory over the *allies*.

The passing of the bill granting unlimited privileges and powers to the Pennsylvania Railroad, over the Governor's veto, and in the face of the strong reasons he assigns for vetoing it, will take the people of the State by surprise. When the astonishment is passed and their justly aroused indignation allows them to consider the matter coolly, they will find that the weighty considerations that induced the Governor to veto the bill are proved to be valid and substantial, and that his reasons are illustrated and confirmed, by the action of the Legislature itself.

Events that took place within a few short hours after the veto—the final passing of the bill, for example—leave us in doubt whether to attribute to the Governor's sight of things actually going on around him, or to his sagacious consideration of future tendencies, the following sentiment of the veto, in reference to what the bill grants to the Pennsylvania Company. "There is danger, too, that with such vast power, such ramification in the business departments of the country, and such unlimited capital, there might be reason to tremble for the purity and sanctity of our elections, or, what is equally bad, that our Governors, Legislators and other State authorities might be affected with the blandishments of its power, its offices and its wealth." The Governor's action clears him from all suspicion of being fascinated by the blandishments to which he refers. We should be glad to be able to say as much for the Legislature.

The passage of this bill, under the circumstances, may be considered the logical *finale* of all legislation on the subject of railroads within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for ever. There has been a persistent and honorable effort made to get legislative sanction for a particular railroad, imperatively needed; there has been a like effort to obtain a general, free and practical Railroad Law, but both efforts have proved utterly in vain. And now a railroad law, of so strictly a partial character and of so dangerous a tendency as to be vetoed by the Governor, has been passed over the veto, giving all railroad power and capital to the Pennsylvania Company. This culmination indicates the completion of the system. It has been brought to this perfection by the Pennsylvania Company, with the aid of the Legislature, which it runs with as much facility as it does any of its other agencies. That Company does not disguise its agency in the business; but conscious of its ability, proceeds at once to get what it wants and to frustrate what it does not want. We have the fact shadowed in the Governor's veto, as quoted above, and we have indications even more palpable in the passage of the bill.

But though it is logically a finale we have no idea that it will be so in fact. There will undoubtedly be humble petitions for railroads presented by the people to the Legislature. There will undoubtedly be railroad planks introduced into election platforms, when Governor GEARY's apprehensions about the "purity and sanctity" of our elections will be submitted to the test, and the virtue of *the people* will be plied with the "blandishments" of the great Monopoly. We hope, we believe, it will stand the test better than it has been stood by the present representatives in Harrisburg who voted for this bill. It is not by any means a party vote. Republicans and Democrats are on both sides of the question. But the interest, business and finances of the State—to say nothing of its honor as a free Commonwealth—are too deeply concerned in the question of internal improvement and developements, to allow its four millions of population to succumb to a small Board of Directors of a railroad company. They will make a party, and a big one, on this vital question, and have a legislature with views as extended and patriotic as their own and with as much firmness and integrity, to resist the "blandishment of power, offices and wealth" that any company can present.

## WAS GOV. GEARY RIGHT?

The following extract from the Report of the President and Directors of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company, which we published yesterday, is a reiteration of the principle advanced in a former document of the Company, and sustains the Governor's veto of the bill enlarging the powers of the *Directors* of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company:

"The agreement of 1864, by which the share capital may be increased, provides: 'That the increase of capital stock should be made solely for the purpose of building and completing a double track, or such part thereof as may be expedient, and for equipping the road and providing such additional rolling stock, machinery appurtenances and other facilities as may be necessary to properly do all the business which may offer, and for no other purpose, *should only be issued from year to year, in such amounts as the stockholders, at their annual meeting, may decide upon.* Their decision shall be based upon detailed estimates made by the Board of Directors, of the amount of money necessary for the work of the year, and that the new issue of stock only be sold after public notice.' By this the Board of Directors cannot increase the share capital without your consent, nor can either you or the bondholders increase the capital for any other purpose than that indicated in the provision above copied. Stock dividends, therefore, cannot be made for past expenditures out of income, as is frequently the case, based upon fictitious accounts or wasteful expenditures. *The capital can only be increased for legitimate expenditures* hereafter to be made on detailed estimates, and on this sound principle alone is the Board willing to make recommendations and administer the property."

We remark that the President of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company is a member of the Fort Wayne Board. The principles here adopted are diametrically opposed to those of the act vetoed by the Governor, and passed over his veto by the "presence in the House all day" of THOS. A. SCOTT, Vice President of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad Company. Further comment, in this connection, is unnecessary.

## CUFFEE AND THE CHIVALRY.

There is evidently to be a scramble, by the old chivalry, for the negro vote after all. General WADE HAMPTON and Cuffee are already on the stump together. The Richmond *Times* begs the great and good men of Virginia, to conquer their repugnance to military rule and the "odors of black suffrage," and to come forth in their might to meet the demands of the occasion. "A lofty patriotism," it says, "is needed which will consent even to *stoop to conquer*." "The danger," it adds by way of argument, "that besets us is that those offices will be filled by vile reptiles engendered by the mud and filth of civil and political strife." So it begs the chivalry to pocket their pride of color and do the polite thing to the darkeys as enfranchised citizens of the Old Dominion.

The Democrats, too, are waking up and feel their hopes reviving under the reconstruction plan. They are half inclined to anchor on negro suffrage ground and trust to the darkey vote to save them, after all they have said against it. The New York *World* having a stock of advice still on hand, even after its large last year's supply to Mr. JOHNSON, is paying it out, hand over hand, to the late rebels. It sees hope, and not much difficulty, for the rebels, in getting the first grip on the negro vote. It advises to seize the helm before the Republicans can get aboard, and take the negroes while they are in a distressed condition, and work them round to the interest of the late rebels.

Some of the stiff old pretenders to a superior nature, are hard to persuade. They cannot think, without a shudder, of saying, "My dear CÆSAR, have the goodness to vote for our side," or anything of that sort. But it will all come easy and natural, when it appears necessary and hopeful. General WADE HAMPTON has set the example of pocketing the pretensions of chivalry and canvassing for the negro vote.

A NEWSPAPER that, to please its patrons, or a party, that to increase its strength, makes a direct appeal to depraved sentiments and habits, cannot be regarded as occupying a very honorable position or as having very brilliant prospects. In the Pittsburgh *Post* of yesterday appeared a communication precisely of the character referred to, and, as we see by an editorial in the same paper, the editors publish only such communications as they think "calculated to do good," we are led to infer that this, in their judgment, is one of that sort. We are sorry for it. For the article appears to be the low, coarse, drunken ravings of somebody who thinks, as drunken men often do, that he is doing terrible execution on Republicans and temperance men. The article, entire and in its details, is a gross insult to the Germans, whom the writer imagines, by an error not uncommon with tipsy folks, he is wonderfully conciliating, and drawing by hundreds into the Democratic fold. He insults the German population in general and their respectable newspapers in particular, as well as all temperance men, of whatever nation. In a word, this communication, "calculated to do good" according to the *Post's* judgment, is just what we have represented it. Its style, grammar, taste and morals are on the same level.

NEW YORK and some other cities are discussing the prospect of a visitation from the cholera the coming season. The long and severe winter has everywhere caused an unusual amount of cholera predisposing matter to collect, and corresponding steps are not taken to remove it. This is eminently the case in Pittsburgh, where, in the absence of adequate sewerage, the deposites have become truly fearful to behold—and will be still more fearful to smell, when the sun comes to operate upon the surface. If in other cities there is occasion for alarm, there certainly is much reason for an early and systematic movement here by the citizens and authorities. Indifference will surely result in the penalty to which we are so peculiarly exposed.

THE declaration of General BUTLER on the floor of the House of Representatives, that he regarded Mrs. SURRATT an innocent woman—which carries with it the inference that he regards her execution as a judicial murder—will take the country somewhat by surprise. That he should not feel amiable toward Mr. BINGHAM, of Ohio, we can readily comprehend; but we fail to perceive that any advantage can be gained over him by the tactics the General in this instance adopted.

THE bill granting to the Directors power to "water" the stock of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company without limit, raises an interesting question. What will stock be worth? Stockholders are already making the inquiry. Without undertaking to give an opinion, we will say, that beyond any question, this is the most stupendous stock watering scheme that ever came before any legislative body.

THE rule of the Legislature is to pass such bills as the Pennsylvania Railroad Company asks for, and to deny such as it objects to. The people and the public welfare are of no account, whenever the Monopoly is in the case; and the common belief is, these things are so because the Monopoly pays so well.

OUR information from Harrisburg is to the effect that times at Harrisburg are easy again, and that hotel-keepers and tailors wear smiling faces. The veto, which brought Col. SCOTT to the Capitol, was a wind-fall to them.

THE Legislature of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, in session at Harrisburg, will adjourn on the eleventh day of April, Vice President SCOTT having intimated that he will have no further use for them after that date.

### Ohio River—The Late Flood.

Our readers are aware that this stream has just been visited by a heavy flood, which, as our exchanges from the lower end and along its large feeders, inform us has been productive of much damage. This freshet in the upper Ohio was not nearly so high as former floods; the Allegheny, the main confluence, rose very little, while the Monongahela was higher than it has been for some years; and some of the lower rivers flowing into the Ohio were, it is said, higher than ever before known.

In former articles, and in advertisements, reference has been made to the fact that the United States Engineer Department, under the authority of Congress by an act passed in June, 1866, have resumed the charge of this important river, and contractors are now engaged in preparing materials for finishing the partly completed rip rap dams which have been left untouched since 1844.

We learn also that Major General A. A. Humphreys, Chief of Engineer, who a few years ago made a very elaborate and able report on the Mississippi river, has issued instructions for the collection of facts connected with the great flood of March, 1867, which has been so destructive, at Chattanooga, Mound City, and various other points. The collection of datta relating to the Ohio river and its tributaries has been assigned to Mr. Roberts, superintending engineer, whose office is in this city.

Persons living at points on the Ohio and its branches who noted the day and the hour when the recent flood began, when it was at its greatest elevation, and any material damage done, &c., may assist in getting together much interesting information by sending their notes of the same to the office of the Superintending Engineer, Pittsburgh.

RELIEF FOR THE POPE.—Bishop Wood, of Philadelphia, issued a circular to the clergy of that Diocese directing a collection for the relief of the Pope on Sunday, April 7. This is done in consequence of "the extreme financial difficulties into which the Pope has been plunged by a systematic continuation of sacrilegious robbing and injustice," and the action of the Baltimore Council based therein. The following plan for taking the collection is prescribed: "After the gospel of the respective masses of the Sunday is selected, the pastor or assistant will make an urgent appeal to the congregation, explaining as fully as possible the necessitous condition of the Holy Father. Immediately thereafter, with as many assistants as he may deem necessary, he will proceed among the people, and, taking the names, will afford to each one an opportunity to subscribe." It is presumed that a similar course will be pursued throughout the country.

### A Good Record.

We take pleasure in referring our readers to the card of Major J. F. Denniston, which appears in our columns this morning, and recommending him for the position of County Treasurer. Among the first who responded to the country's call for volunteers when the dread and insulting tone of Sumter's thunder chilled the hearts of many, this young man left a good position in one of our mercantile houses, and enrolled himself with a number of others in the "Friend Rifle Guards," a company well remembered by most of our citizens. He was elected First Lieutenant by his comrades, and served as such until the battle of Williamsburg, Virginia, where the gallant Captain Brunn was killed. From that date he was advanced to the captaincy. Having received a severe wound in the right arm he was unable to serve with his company, but with his disabled arm he continued in the service, doing duty on the staff of Major General Sickles, until that officer was disabled and left the field. Being unfit for line duty he was appointed a Commissary of Subsistance upon the recommendation of General Sickles and Hon. J. K. Moorhead. In this capacity he had immense responsibilities as a Depot Commissary Sergeant at Belle Plain, Grant's first base of supplies after leaving the Rapidan on his most famous campaign. With very limited and temporary facilities for receiving and shipping stores, he replenished the Provision Train of the whole army of the Potomac, besides issuing rations to the large number of wounded from the battle of the Wilderness and Spottsylvania, and the droves of prisoners captured by the victorious army. After this, at his own suggestion, he was assigned to duty at the front as Brigade Commissary in the Second Corps (Hancock's), and although not his specific duty, he participated as "Aid" in all the engagements his Brigade took part in in and about Petersburg, until the battle of Reams's Station, August 1864. Here he received a gunshot wound in the right leg, and was struck also in the left foot. The right leg was amputated twice, but having an iron constitution, assisted by good habits, he recovered, and was rewarded by being brevetted Major for *really* "gallant and meritorious conduct," retained in service, and assigned to duty as a disbursing officer, where he handled large sums of the Government funds with credit to himself and honor to the Government. We always feel as though disabled soldiers should have the preference for positions in the gift of the people, and when such a record as this is combined with untiring energy, sterling integrity, and undoubted ability, our convention will be under no embarrassment in making its selections.

### Temperance Reform in McKeesport.

*To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:*

A number of the citizens of McKeesport, favorable to moral reform, some months since formed a permanent organization under the title of "The McKeesport Reform Association." The officers elected were: President—Captain Andrew Critchlow; Vice President—Samuel Milligan, Esq.; Secretary—F. H. Coursin; Treasurer—John Frich; Committee on Speakers—Messrs. J. P. Learn, Captain Wm. McIntosh, and W. E. Harrison.

The object of this Association is to wield a united influence against intemperance, and by frequent prosecution of duty, if possible, awake within, and assiduously cultivate, a living, acting temperance spirit in the mind of every man and woman in the place. With this, as we believe, our laudable object in view, and with our unwritten motto, "No compromise with evil," our first efforts have been mainly directed against the sale of this society, family, body and soul ruining element. Thus far all have been successful, and with many thanks to our judges presiding in preventing licenses asked for being granted.

The Association meets regularly on the first and third Tuesday evenings of each month, and is always largely attended, a large number of persons of both sexes having enrolled themselves on the side of temperance and are now earnestly doing battle in the good cause. We have been favored with addresses from Mr. McGonnigle, of your city, and Rev. W. M. Coleman, of Birmingham, and many others, and we are happy to believe the cause with us is increasing, and the public mind becoming more and more alive to the urgent necessity of suppressing the nefarious traffic. Our determination is not to be discouraged, although sometimes defeated, but to wage war against the accursed evil until there shall not be left in our borough so disgraceful a sight as a place where liquor is sold for drinking purposes only. Our association meets on next Tuesday night week, in the Baptist Church, and we would be happy indeed to greet representatives of any of the Temperance Leagues or Associations of your city, to cheer us in our efforts to check this wide spread evil. Expect to hear from us again as the good work goes on.

COMMITTEE.

As soon as the President either signs or returns the supplemental reconstruction bill, Congress will adjourn till next fall. It is weary, and so is the country.

H. R. Kemp, private banker at Pithole, "went under" on Monday and closed doors. It is considered a hopeless suspension.

The Republicans have made a positive gain in the New York spring election over last year.

**NO MORE SORE FEET.**

Corns, Corns, Bunions, Bunions, Bunions,
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PETERSON'S
CORN AND BUNION OINTMENT.

Is not only a relief, but a radical cure for those pests of the feet. Mr. J. W. Barker, the Market street Dry Goods Merchant, says Peterson's Ointment removed the pain almost immediately, and ultimately removed the corns from his feet.

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London Ale, Bottled Ales, London Porter, Brown Stout. To get genuine imported London Ale, Porter or Brown Stout, has been almost an impossibility in this city, notwithstanding that there are few tonics more suitable for weakly persons and invalids. The want has at length been supplied. A large assortment of the finest brands, comprising Barclay & Perkins' London Stout, Bass & Co.'s Pale Ale, Campbell's Scotch Ale, etc., just received at JOS. FLEMING'S Drug Store, No. 84 Market street, and is sold by the case or single bottle, at the lowest rates. Also, a complete stock of the finest Liquors for medicinal purposes, and Campbell's Sparkling Ale, the finest article in use. Remember the place,

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## RELIGIOUS.

☞ PLYMOUTH CHURCH—Rev. HENRY D. MOORE, Pastor, will preach in the Academy of Music, TO-MORROW MORNING AND NIGHT, at the usual hours. In the Evening, at 7½ o'clock, the Sermon will be addressed especially to Mothers and Young Women, concerning their duty and their influence in these times of Revival.

☞ MISSIONARY MEETING IN BEHALF OF LINCOLN UNIVERSITY—A Union Missionary Meeting in behalf the education of Colored Men, for Preachers and Teachers among their own people in this country, and in Africa, through the agency of Lincoln University, will be held in the SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, (Rev. Dr. Howard's,) on SABBATH EVENING NEXT, at 7½ o'clock. Addresses will be made by Major General E. M. Gregory, U. S. A., Freedmen's Bureau; Rev. S. C. Logan, Secretary Freedmen's Committee; Rev. Thomas McCauley, Assistant Secretary Board of Education, Philadelphia, and others. All interested in the education of the colored race are cordially invited to come and hear what the Lord is doing through Lincoln University, which is located in Chester county, Pa., and has been in successful operation since 1854.

It has now over one hundred colored men in its classes; has sent missionaries to Africa, and ministers and teachers all over our land. It is under evangelical supervision, and seeks to enlarge its power. Come and hear!

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**ROBINSON, REA & CO.,**

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GET AN ELLIPTIC OR AN ÆTNA.

They are the best. BOWDOIN & GIBSON,
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### Horse Plague.

A new and strange plague has broken out in certain parts of New Jersey—the attack frequently being so violent as to insure the death of the animal in twenty-four or forty-eight hours. The victim at first encounters a difficulty in drinking. The loss of appetite then sets in, followed by putridity of breath and rapid prostration. Although evidently in some way connected with the throat, no cough attends this fatal malady. Although the disease is spreading with considerable rapidity, and much attention is given to it, the doctors can make nothing of it. Professor Cook, of Rutgers college, has been devoting himself to the subject, and is baffled at every step. Careful post-mortem examinations, and elaborate chemical tests, afford no light or guidance to the medical profession.

A confidence young man named W. W. Hoosier, assumed the name of Major L. M. Hosea, of the army, and wooed and won the daughter of Dr. Royer, of Philadelphia, being married on the 13th inst., and after a brief bridal tour is now an inmate of the county prison. The cause of his arrest was obtaining from his father-in-law $2,000, on a fraudulent draft for $6,800, drawn on the First National Bank of Cincinnati. Hoosier had also palmed himself upon the susceptible Philadelphians as a son of ex-Governor Aiken, of South Carolina.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

☞ FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

MAJ. J. F. DENNISTON,

Late Brevet Major and C. S. U. S. Vols., will be a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.

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MISS A. M. RICHEY,

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History of the Early Church. Sewell.
Passing Thoughts on Religion. Sewell.
Thoughts on the Services. Coxe.
Holy Living and Dying. Taylor.
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| 4 | do coated both sides, | 4x6 | 6 |
| 5 | Tablet Slates, do do | 4x6 | 8 |
| 6 | do do do do | 5x7 | 10 |
| 7 | do do do do | 6x9 | 14 |
| 8 | do do do do | 7x11 | 18 |
| 9 | Book Slates, coat'd inside | 4x6 | 15 |
| 10 | do do | 5x7 | 25 |
| 11 | do do | 6x9 | 30 |
| 12 | do do | 7x11 | 40 |
| 13 | Book Slates, interleaved, | 3x6 2 leaves, pkt size | 20 |
| 14 | do do | 3x7 | 25 |
| 15 | do do | 4x6 | 25 |
| 16 | do do | 5x7 | 40 |
| 17 | do do | 6x9 | 50 |
| 18 | do do | 7x11 | 70 |
| 19 | Sabbath School Library Slate | | 10 |
| 20 | do do | with pencil case | 13 |
| 21 | Slated Copy Books, with copy slips | | 40 |
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R. W. PIER.

NOTICE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA,—Whereas, a Libel has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, on the 11th day of March A. D., 1867, by the United States Libellant against four barrels of Whisky, and two half barrels of Whisky, seized and lately in the possession of Messrs. Littell & Mechling, and now in the custody of the Collector of the Twenty-second District of Pennsylvania.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the monition under seal of the said Court, to me directed, I do hereby give public notice to all persons claiming the said four barrels of Whisky and two half barrels of Whisky, or in any manner interested therein, that they be and appear before the said District Court, to be held at Pittsburgh, on the 29th day of March, A. D., 1867, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, there to interpose their claims and to make their allegations in that behalf.

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Hats that are 'stylish,' 'gay' and 'nobby,'
Hats good looking on everybody;
Hats that become your "style of beauty,"
Of course to wear such is your duty;
Hats for all the small and great,
Hats for those who legislate,
Hats for those who palpits fill,
Hats for those who cure or kill,
Hats for those who buy or sell,
Hats and caps for clerks as well;
Hats for farmers, stout and strong,
Hats for singers for a song,
Hats for sailors, hardy tars,
Hats for those who run the cars,
Hats for the wardens, stewards or priest,
Hats for those who sit in the East,
Hats for men of every class,
Who deal in corn, wine, oil or brass,
Hats of every size and shape,
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Hats and caps in great profusion,
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## NOTICES.

OFFICE OF THE COALMEN'S TRUST CO.,
Pittsburgh, March 20, 1867.

☞ THERE WILL BE A MEETING of the Stockholders of the Coalmen's Trust Company, held at their office, No. 26 Market street, on the FOURTH OF APRIL NEXT, at 4 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of considering a proposition to increase the Capital Stock of the Association.

W. J. PATTERSON, Sec'y.

☞ NOTICE—BRICKLAYERS AND MASONS.—Sealed Proposals will be received until the 12th of April for building a SEWER of good hard brick or stone, at the office of Burgess of Duquesne. For further particulars apply at the same place or to Chairman of Committee on Streets.

G. P. WILHELM, Chairman.

☞ NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Sealed Proposals for the Grading, Curbing and Paving of Main street, Pinestreet, Union alley, Bank lane, and New Troy street, in the borough of Duquesne, will be received until the 12 day of April by Street Committee. For further particulars apply at the office of Burgess or Chairman of Street Committee.

G. P. WILHELM, Chairman.

OFFICE OF THE A. V. R. R. COMPANY,
PITTSBURGH, January 1, 1867.

☞ NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS of the ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY.—The Allegheny Valley Railroad Company hereby give notice that they will redeem the FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS of the Company within two years from this date, in accordance with the provisions of the mortgage given to secure the payment of the said bonds. By order of the Board of Managers.

WILLIAM PHILLIPS, President.

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Orders may be forwarded to us direct, or through the principal Banks and Bankers in all parts of the country.

Remittances may be made in drafts on New York, or in Legal Tender Notes, National Bank Notes or other funds current in this city, and the Bonds will be forwarded to any address by express, free of charge. Inquiries for further particulars, by mail or otherwise, will receive punctual attention.

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JOHN ROSS.

Will remove April 1st to No. 23 Wood street.
Pittsburgh, March 11, 1867.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Thomas Roberts, William Barnes and Jared M. Brush, under the firm of ROBERTS, BARNES & CO., is this day dissolved, THOS. ROBERTS retiring from the firm.
January 1st, 1867.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY entered into a copartnership, and will continue to carry on the manufacture of Japanned and Pressed Tinware, &c., under the name and style of WM. BARNES & CO., at the old stand, 89 Third street.

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EDWARD FOERSTER,
C. F. SCHWARZ.

HAVING SOLD MY ENTIRE INTEREST in the Wall Paper and Fancy Goods business to EDWARD FOERSTER, who will continue the business at the old stand, I would cheerfully recommend him to our former patrons and the public generally.

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10 hhds. Porto Rico Sugar;
100 bags prime and choice Rio Coffee;
25 bags choice Laguayra Coffee;
10 bags Old Government Coffee;
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# The Daily Commercial

### Pray for Our Governor.

*To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:*

This is a bright day in the hopes of our citizens. It reminds one of the days when good news appeared on your bulletin board. The Veto message of our noble Governor gives Western Pennsylvania, indeed the whole State, a gleam of hope. It is a ray of light breaking through the black cloud now hanging over the rights and liberties of the people.

The blessings of thousands of glad hearts are going up to heaven for our Chief Magistrate. I never heard such a hearty and earnest response as was given in the noon-day prayer meeting in one of our churches, when a venerable minister invoked the *blessing of God upon the Chief Magistrate of this State, who had just shown himself to be the champion of right, now in times of peace, as he had before been in time of war.* The Amen! to this was truly sublime.

But a fearful struggle yet remains. All the vast influence and power of the monopoly will now be brought to bear upon the House, to induce it, in like manner with the Senate, to pass the bill over the Governor's head. The stake is immense, and will evoke immense effort. The issue involves the right of property of the stockholders of the road, as well as the rights and liberties of the people of the State generally. As one of the stockholders, I regard this bill as virtually confiscating my property in the stock, and transferring it to the *ring*. The certificate will remain to me, but of what use when its value is sapped and taken away.

People generally do not sufficiently understand this thing, or know that the stockholders of the road, or such of them as are not in the *ring*, are as much opposed to this iniquitous legislation as other people, and have stronger motives for opposing it. The Ring, so called, has fastened itself like a vampire upon the body corporate of the company, and is sucking the life-blood of its reputation and usefulness—making bloated millionaires, of sudden wealth, out of men who but recently were needy employees of the road. These are the men who have assumed the possession and control of our property, and use it as an engine to support themselves in power, and corrupt the sources of law and government.

Let the thousands who read your faithful paper, carefully consider this noble message of Governor Geary. It will remind them of the doctrines which were popular in the days of the Declaration of Independence.

It would be well also for every one to clip out and preserve the list of those in either House who vote to carry this iniquitous measure over the Governor's head, in face of the unanswerable reasons he gives for its defeat. Although not likely, yet some of them might hereafter come to the surface of political life again.

A Stockholder.

[The above was intended for yesterday's paper.]

## GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

An Attica, New York, farmer who had refused forty-five cents, sold all his large accumulation of butter in Buffalo a few days since at twenty cents! Present prospects indicate still lower prices rather than higher.

The hull of the rebel ram Merrimac, which obstructs navigation near Norfolk, is to be operated upon by torpedos—all other appliances for removing it having failed.

In the Legislature of New York a preamble and resolutions have been introduced requesting the Governor to interpose and prevent the establishment of a monarchy in Canada.

Plymouth Church is said to be seriously embarrassed. This year the report got abroad that Henry Ward Beecher, the pastor of Plymouth, was going to the Paris Exposition, and was to be absent at least half a year. The consequence was that many did not early find it convenient to pay up, and demurred at the proposed absence of the favorite pastor.

Foreign immigration thus far this season is considerably beyond that of last year. The arrivals at Castle Garden foot up a total of 21,176 from first of January to date, against 23,688 for the corresponding season in 1866. The shipping and steamer agents, however, express the conviction that the present disturbed state of Ireland will swell the arrivals the coming summer beyond all precedent.

Country buyers of drygoods, in New York, are more numerous, and a better feeling prevails, with rather better prices. The general business feeling has improved, and there is a reasonable degree of hope.

Says the Charleston *Leader*: We have been looking at peach and cherry buds within a day or two, and find no injury as yet. At this time there is promise of a great crop of fruit. "Old Dr. Kirtland," of Cleveland, the great propagator of fine cherries, tells the editor of the Ohio *Farmer* that he never saw the wood in better condition, or the promise better for a crop of fine fruits. The same is true of the old crops of that section.

## PERSONAL.

—Parepa achieved the greatest success in Norma at the New York Academy, Friday evening. Her singing and acting awakened the liveliest enthusiasm of the present operatic season, and proves how quick the public is to appreciate the presence and ability of a tragic prima donna of a caliber fit for the metropolis.

—Senator Sumner's demand that more oaths be exacted from Southern voters called forth the criticism from Senator McDougal that "Sumnergotaweariinonth'brain."

—When Judge Russell addressed the Boston school Ship boys, on Sunday, he asked where St. Patrick was born; one of the boys shouted once, "In a stable in Bethlehem."

—General Grant was urged to become President of the National Temperance Society. He said he was in full sympathy with the cause, but "did not think he was the man for it."

—Rev. C. B. Boynton, Chaplain of the House of Representatives, has been compelled, on account of ill health, to resign his charge of the Congregational Church, to take effect on the 1st of June.

—There is said to be a hitch in the Beecher novel in the *Ledger*. The novel halts—the gifted author finds it difficult work and delays standing in the manuscript. A friend lately asked why the delay, when Mr. Beecher candidly told him that he thought "novel writing was not his forte," and added naively, giving his friend a poke in the ribs, "but if I fail, all they can say is that Beecher can't write a novel," and he laughed heartily at his idea.

—Isham G. Harris, the notorious rebel, who fled to Mexico, has written a letter, doleful enough. He says there are eight million inhabitants in Mexico. If seven millions of these were exterminated, he thinks it would be a good country for civilized people to emigrate to. He estimates the number of educated people at one million. Half of these are in favor of an empire, and half opposed. A large majority of the remaining seven millions are robbers and murderers.

—The purchase of Tammany Hall by Mr. ...ana goes to show that his daily paper project ...s not been relinquished, and the names associated with his own in the purchase of the property show that he has strong backing.

—James Gordon Bennett has been so ill that fears were entertained for his recovery, but his strong constitution carried him through, and he is well again—the same remarkable man as before.

—Bishop Potter has written a letter—not yet published—assigning his reasons for not signing the protest against Ritualism. As the Bishop's uncertain position on this harrassing question has been the occasion of much concern to his friends, doubtless it will be a great relief to them and the Church to hear from him definitely at last.

## STATE ITEMS.

Wm. A. Hurst, Ex-Sheeriff of Crawford county, died in Meadville on Saturday, and was buried with Masonic honors on Monday.

...N. Angier, Esq., has been re-elected Mayor of Titusville by a handsome majority.

The Petroleum Centre *Era* says a little girl ...t years of age is performing the duties of an engineer at a well on Bennehoff run. She is paid $3 a day, the salary of the best engineers.

The National Bank of Crawford county, has made an assignment under the State laws, and William Thorp, Esq., has been appointed commissioner to settle up affairs.

The coal works at Penn, Irwin's, Larimer's, and Eagle and Spring Hill, on the Pennsylvania railroad, are at a full stop, resulting from an attempt on the part of the various companies to reduce the wages of the miners, who, up to the first of March, the day on which the "strike" occurred had been getting seventy-... cents per ton. The companies now refuse to pay more than sixty-five cents, which the miners "can't see." Over six hundred laborers are out of employment in consequence of this strike.

A young girl named Anne Hultz, a native of Portsmouth, Ohio, has been arrested and confined in Beaver jail, charged with infanticide. She was employed in the house of a family in Rochester, and last Sunday the dead body of a newborn infant was found which she admitted giving birth to.

The Stroudsburg *Jeffersonian* says: Dupue Miller, whose arrest and bringing to this city, on the charge of embezzling the ...funds of the Stroudsburg Bank, we noticed some time, left for his home in Kansas, a few days ago. There was not a particle of evidence to sustain the charge of embezzlement, and we learn that the bank made good his loss in time, expense, &c., incurred by the arrest. A *nolle prosequi*, we understand, is to be entered in his case during the present term of court. While here, notwithstanding the charges against him, Mr. Miller was warmly received, wherever he went, by the many friends he has in this section of the country. They will be pleased to learn that he has been honorably acquitted.

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## STATE LOAN.

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# STATE LOAN.

PROPOSALS FOR

# A Loan of $23,000,000.

AN ACT TO CREATE A LOAN

**For the Redemption of the Over-Due Bonds of the Commonwealth.**

WHEREAS, The Bonds of the Commonwealth, and certificates of indebtedness, amounting to twenty-three millions of dollars, have been due and unpaid for some time past;

AND WHEREAS, It is desirable that the same should be paid, and withdrawn from the market, therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Governor, Auditor General and State Treasurer be, and are hereby authorized and empowered to borrow, on the faith of the Commonwealth, in such amounts and with such notice (not less than forty days) as they may deem most expedient for the interest of the State, twenty-three millions of dollars, and issue certificates of loans or bonds of the Commonwealth for the same, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first of February and the first of August in the city of Philadelphia; which certificates of loan or bonds shall not be subject to any taxation whatever, for State, municipal or local purposes, and shall be payable as follows, namely: Five millions of dollars payable at any time after five years, and within ten years; eight millions of dollars payable at any time after ten years, and within fifteen years, and ten millions of dollars at any time after fifteen years, and within twenty-five years; and shall be signed by the Governor and State Treasurer, and countersigned by the Auditor General, and registered in the books of the Auditor General, and to be transferable on the books of the Commonwealth, at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank of Philadelphia; the proceeds of the whole of which loan, including premiums, et cetera, received on the same, shall be applied to the payment of the bonds and certificates of indebtedness of the Commonwealth.

SEC. 2. The bids of the said loan shall be opened in the presence of the Governor, Auditor General and State Treasurer, and awarded to the highest bidder; *Provided*, That no certificate hereby authorized to be issued, shall be negotiated for less than its par value.

SEC. 3. The bonds of the State and certificates of indebtedness, now over due, shall be receivable in payment of the said loan, under such regulations as the Governor, Auditor General and State Treasurer may prescribe, and every bidder for the loan, now authorized to be issued, shall state in his bid whether the same is payable in cash or in the bonds, or certificates of indebtedness of the Commonwealth.

SEC. 4. That all trustees, executors, administrators, guardians, agents, treasurers, committee, or other persons, holding in fiduciary capacity, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the State or moneys, are hereby authorized to bid for the loan hereby authorized to be issued, and to surrender the bonds or certificates of loan held by them at the time of making such bid, and to receive the bonds authorized to be issued by this act.

SEC. 5. Any person or persons standing in the fiduciary capacity stated in the fourth section of this act, who may desire to invest money in their hands for the benefit of the trust, may, without any order of court, invest the same in the bonds authorized to be issued by this act, at a rate of premium not exceeding twenty per centum.

SEC. 6. That from and after the passage of this act, all the bonds of this Commonwealth shall be paid off in the order of their maturity.

SEC. 7. That all loans of this Commonwealth, not yet due, shall be exempt from State, municipal or local taxation, after the interest due February first, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, shall have been paid.

SEC. 8. That all existing laws, or portions thereof, inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

JOHN P. GLASS,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
L. W. HALL,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved the second day of February, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

JOHN W. GEARY.

In accordance with the provisions of the above act of Assembly, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the State Treasurer, in the city of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, until 12 o'clock, M., on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1867, to be endorsed as follows: "Proposals for Pennsylvania State Loan," Treasury Department, Harrisburg, Pa., U. S. A.

Bids will be received for $5,000,000, reimbursable in 5 years and payable in 10 years; $8,000,000 reimbursable in 10 years and payable in 15 years, and $10,000,000 reimbursable in 15 years and payable in 25 years. The rate of interest to be either 5 or 6 per cent. per annum, which must be explicitly stated in the bid, and the bids most advantageous to the State will be accepted. No bid for less than par will be considered. The bonds will be issued in sums of $50, and such higher sums as desired by the loaners, to be free from State, local and municipal taxes.

The over due bonds of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania will be received at par in payment of this loan, but bidders must state whether they intend to pay in cash or in the over due bonds aforesaid.

No distinction will be made between bidders paying in cash or over due loans.

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OFFICE OF CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY CO., PA., Pittsburgh, March 18, 1867.

**TO STATIONERS, PRINTERS, &c.**

—Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until the 23d inst. inclusive, for furnishing Allegheny county with

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By direction of the County Commissioners.

HENRY LAMBERT, Controller.

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Sealed Proposals will be received at the office of the Superintending Engineer, Pittsburgh, southwest corner of Third and Market streets, until WEDNESDAY, April 10th, 1867,

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For further information apply at the office in Pittsburgh by letter or otherwise.

By order of the Chief of Engineers of the Army of the United States.

W. MILNOR ROBERTS,
Supt'g. Eng'r. Ohio River Improvement.

Pittsburgh, March 18, 1867.

**PROPOSALS. — PENNSYLVANIA AGRICULTURAL LAND SCRIP FOR SALE.**—The Board of Commissioners now offer for sale 520,-000 acres of Agricultural College Land Scrip, being the balance of the Scrip granted to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the endowment of Agricultural Colleges in this State.

Proposals for the purchase of this Land Scrip, addressed to "The Board of Commissioners of Agricultural Land Scrip," will be received at the Surveyor General's office, at Harrisburg, until 12 o'clock, M., on Wednesday, April 10, 1867.

This land may be located in any State or Territory, by the holders of the scrip, upon any of the unappropriated lands (except mineral lands) of the United States, which may be subject to sale at private entry. Each piece of scrip represents a quarter section of one hundred and sixty acres, is issued in blank, and will be transferable, without indorsement or formal assignment. The blank need not be filled until the scrip is presented for location and entry, when the party holding it can fill the blank and enter the land in his own name. Bids must be made as per acre, and no bids will be received for less than one quarter section.

The Scrip will be issued immediately on the payment of the money to the Surveyor General. On all bids for a less quantity than 40,000 acres, one-third of the purchase money must be paid within ten days, and the remaining two-thirds within thirty days after notification of the acceptance of the bid or bids by the Board of Commissioners.

JACOB M. CAMPBELL, Surveyor General,
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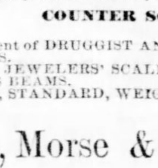

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| N. Brt'n Acc.. | 5:20 p m | N. Brt'n Acc.. | 2:30 a m |
| N. Brt'n Acc.. | 6:15 p m | Leetsdale Acc. | 4:10 a m |
| Leetsdale Acc. | 10:30 p m | Leetsdale Acc. | 7:00 a m |

☞ 10:25 A. M., Chicago Express arrives daily. No Train leaves Pittsburgh on Sunday.

F. R. MYERS, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

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**PENNSYLVANIA**

# Central Railroad.

On and after December 30, 1866, trains arrive and leave the Union Depot, corner of Washington and Liberty streets, as follows:

| Arrive. | | Depart. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mail Train.......... | 1:20 a m | Daily Express. | 3:00 a m |
| Fast Line.......... | 1:50 a m | Wall's No. 1... | 6:30 a m |
| Wall's No. 1...... | 3:20 a m | Mail Train......... | 8:20 a m |
| Brinton No. 1.. | 7:50 a m | Wall's No. 2.. | 9:50 a m |
| Wall's No. 2...... | 8:50 a m | *Cincinnati Ex. | 10:50 a m |
| Johnstown acm. | 9:50 a m | Wall's No. 3... | 11:30 a m |
| Baltimore Exp:. | 120 p m | Braddock No 1. | 3:40 p m |
| Phila. Express.. | 1:50 p m | Phil. Express.. | 4:10 p m |
| Wall's No. 3...... | 1:05 p m | Wall's No. 4.. | 4:50 p m |
| Wall's No. 4... | 4:00 p m | Wall's No. 5.. | 3:00 p m |
| Braddock No. 1. | 5:50 p m | Wall's No. 6.. | 10:00 p m |
| Wall's No. 5...... | 7:00 p m | Fast Line......... | 10:05 p m |
| Altoona Ac. and Emig't train. | 10:25 p m | Johnstown Ac.. | 250 p m |

*Daily all others Sundays excepted.

The Church Trains leave Wall's Station every Sunday at 9:15 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:00 a. m. Returning leave Pittsburgh at 12:50 a. m. and arrive at Wall's Station at 2:00 p. m.

The Baltimore Exqress will arrive with the Philadelphia Express at 1:50 p. m. on Sundays.

NOTICE.—In case of loss, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will hold themselves responsible for personal baggage only and for an amount not exceeding $100.

W. H. BECKWITH, Agent.

**WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA R. R.**—On and after WEDNESDAY, January 2, 1867, the Passenger trains on the Western Pennsylvania Railroad will arrive at and depart from the Federal street Depot, Allegheny City, as follows:

| Arrive. | | Depart. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sharpsbg No 1. | 6:35 a m | Sharpsbg No 1. | 5:30 a m |
| Freeport No 1. | 8:20 a m | Mail............ | 6:05 a m |
| Sharpsbg No 2. | 9:20 a m | Sharpsbg No 2. | 7:20 a m |
| Express.......... | 10:45 a m | Freeport No 1. | 9:25 a m |
| Sharpsbg No 3. | 11:35 a m | Sharpsbg No 3. | 10:15 a m |
| Sharpsbg No 4. | 1:50 p m | Sharpsbg No 4. | 11:50 a m |
| Mail............ | 4:20 p m | Express.......... | 2:05 p m |
| Freeport No 2. | 6:00 p m | Sharpsbg No 5. | 3:50 p m |
| Sharpsbg No 5. | 6:50 p m | Freeport No 2. | 6:50 p m |
| Sharpsbg No 6. | 9:05 p m | Sharpsbg No 6. | 7:50 p m |

All trains run daily except Sunday.

Commutation Tickets for sale in packages of twenty, between Allegheny City, Chestnut street, Herr's, Bennett, Pine Creek, Etna and Sharpsburg, and good only on the trains stopping at Stations specified on tickets.

Through tickets to Butler and Hannahstown, may be purchased at Walker's Stage Office, No. 3 ST. CLAIR STREET, near Suspension Bridge, Pittsburgh, and at the Depot, Allegheny City.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Co. will not assume any risk for baggage, except for wearing apparel, and limit their responsibility to One Hundred Dollars in value. All Baggage exceeding that amount in value, will be at the risk of the owner, unless taken by special contract.

For further information apply at Depot to

JAMES LEFFERTS, Agent,
Federal Street Depot.

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WM. LITTLE, Agent.

**ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.**

# Change of Time.

On and after FRIDAY, February 1st, 1867, Passenger trains will leave and arrive at Pittsburgh Depot, corner Pike and Canal streets, as follows:

| | Leave Pitts'gh. | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|
| Hulton Accommodation | 6:30 a m | 12:00 m |
| Mail (to & from Mahoning) | 7:20 a m | 6:10 p m |
| First Soda Works Accom.. | 9:30 a m | 8:00 a m |
| Kiskiminetas Accom'n | 1:30 p m | 7:45 p m |
| Express | 3:15 p m | 4:10 p m |
| Second Soda Works Ac. | 5:30 p m | 2:30 p m |
| Sunday Church Train from and to Soda Works | 1:00 p m | 2:30 a m |

H. BLACKSTONE,
Superintendent.

**PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD.**

SPRING ARRANGEMENT.

On and after THURSDAY, March 15th, 1866, the trains will leave the Depot, corner of Ross and Water streets, as follows:

| | Leaves Pittsburgh. | Arrives Pittsburgh. |
|---|---|---|
| Mail to and from Uniontown. | 7:00 a m | 6:00 p m |
| Express " " | 3:00 p m | 10:00 a m |
| West Newton Accom | 6:15 p m | 8:30 a m |
| First McKeesport Accom | 11:00 a m | 6:50 a m |
| Second " " | 10:00 p m | 2:05 p m |
| Braddock's " " | 4:10 p m | 5:45 p m |
| Sunday Church train to and from West Newton | 1:00 p m | 10:00 a m |

For tickets apply to J. W. KING, Agent.
mh15 W. R. STOUT, Sup't.

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Trains leave Union Depot of Pennsylvania Railroad in Pittsburgh, daily (except Sundays) at 3:10 and 11:00 A. M., 4:20 and 10:15 P. M. On Sundays 11:00 A. M.

Leave New York for Pittsburgh, from Station of CENTRAL RAILROAD OF NEW JERSEY, FOOT OF LIBERTY STREET, at 9:00 A. M., 5:00 and 8:00 P. M.

Baggage checked to all points between Pittsburgh and New York.

H. P. BALDWIN,
General Passenger Agent.

**ERIE AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD**—On and after November 19th, 1866,

FAST EXPRESS

Leaves Union Depot, 6:00 A. M.; Allegheny, 6:10 A. M.; arrives at Meadville 12, noon; Franklin, 3:15 P. M.; Oil City, 4:10 P. M.; Erie, 1:35 P. M.; Buffalo, 5:20 P. M.; Niagara Falls, 7:35 P. M.

MEADVILLE ACCOMMODATION

Leaves Allegheny, 1:20 P. M.; arrives Meadville, 11:00 P. M.

Ninety-seven miles the shortest route to Erie or Buffalo; eighty-three miles saved to Meadville and Franklin.

Ask for tickets via Erie and Pittsburgh Railroad.

J. J. LAWRENCE,
General Superintendent, Erie, Pa.
J. A. BURCH,
General Ticket Agent, Buffalo, N. Y.

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CORNER FIFTH AND GRANT STREETS,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

# The Daily Commercial

## CITY MATTERS.

### POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

[Before Mayor McCarthy.]

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

Wm. Kinney, a resident of Temperanceville, yesterday procured the arrest of John Appeal, James Gorman and Patrick Mathews, whom he accused of committing an assault and battery upon his person. The difficulty which occasioned the assault was created by a dispute in regard to the ownership of a dog. The parties were required to enter bail for trial.

RELEASED ON BAIL.

Peter Engee, a character well known to the police, was arrested about a week since on an information made by officer Moon, charging him with having burglariously entered the dwelling house of Mr. Felix C. Negley, in the Ninth ward, and stolen a watch and a quantity of money. He was placed in the watch house at the time of the arrest and kept until yesterday, when his friends procured bail for him, and he was released.

[Before Alderman Sutherland.]

KEEPING A GAMBLING HOUSE.

Mrs. Ellen Rohe, who was before Alderman Lynch on Thursday, on a charge of keeping a disorderly house, on oath of Edward Martin, yesterday appeared before this Alderman and entered a cross-suit against Martin for keeping a disorderly gambling house on the corner of Duquesne Way and Maddock's alley, in the Fourth ward, and also for surety of the peace. The accused was arrested and held for a hearing.

[Before Alderman Taylor.]

CROSS-SUITS.

A boy named Daniel Matthews, employed in a machine shop in the Ninth ward, lodged an information against Nicholas Wachter, a watchman at the same place, for assault and battery, alleging that the latter kicked him on the mouth. The accused was arrested and held for a hearing.

Wachter then entered a cross-suit against Matthews for surety of the peace, alleging that the latter threatened his life. Young Matthews was also held for a hearing.

[Before Alderman Butler.]

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

James Early appeared yesterday and lodged complaint against James Reagan, for assault and battery. Reagan was arrested by officer Hague, and held for a hearing.

COLORED BOY ARRESTED.

Officer Hazen, of Monongahela City, and Officer Carey, on Wednesday las , arrested a colored boy named George W. Turner, employed in the ladies' cabin of the steamboat Great Republic, at Cincinnati, for stealing a gold watch and chain and an overcoat from passengers of the boat. The stolen articles were recovered.

GAVE BAIL.

Albert Tate, who was committed to jail on Thursday by Alderman Donaldson, charged with malicious mischief and assault and battery, gave bail yesterday for his appearance for a hearing, and was released.

### Lincoln University.

A meeting in reference to the interests of this Institution will be held in Dr. Howard's church (Second Presbyterian) at the corner of Penn and Irwin streets, on next Sabbath evening, the 24th, at 7½ o'clock. Among the speakers will be Maj. Gen. Gregory, Assistant Commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau and Rev. John M. Dickey D. D. Lincoln University is located near Oxford, Chester county, Pa. It was incorporated in 1854, under the name of Ashmun Institute, and is designed exclusively for the education of colored youth. Its charter was enlarged in 1866, and the name changed to that of our martyred President. Its field of usefulness has been greatly enlarged, and its numbers increased within a few years. About eighty students are now there, and others anxious to recceive its benefits will be admitted when means and the buildings are fully prepared. Three endowments are promised, conditioned on four being made up. Five thousand dollars of the fourth are subscribed. The friends of the black man should feel such an interest in the welfare of the race as fully and with ease to secure this endowment, and are earnestly invited to encourage this effort by their presence at the meeting.

### The Washington County Tragedy.

The recent murder of Mr. David Sproul, at his residence in Washington county, has created intense excitement in the neighborhood, and every effort is being made to trace out the murderers. Deputy Sheriff McBarry, of Washington, arrived in this city yesterday, and gave the police a full description, of the suspected parties, and it is probable that they will be in custody in a few days. On Thursday, as Mr. McBarry was examining Mr. Sproul's premises, he found a small penknife lying near the house, which it is supposed was the instrument employed by the murderers in dispatching their victim. The blade is about four inches in length, and the handle is covered with blood. Mr. Sproul was the owner of three hundred acres of land, and had the reputation of being a rich man. This is the third murder that has been committed in Washington county within the past few years, the circumstances of which are very similar.

### Professor Rohbock.

We have just seen at Mellor's music rooms, a splendid Cabinet Organ, just purchased by our distinguished teacher, Professor H. Rohbock. It is of the renowned Mason & Hamlin make, a name that is a synonym of all that is excellent and desirable in an instrument. It has two banks of keys, two octaves of pedals for the feet, and six complete sets of reeds or vibrators, which are operated by twelve draw stops. These vibrators are of different qualities, representing the Bourdon, Diaposon, Flute, Hautbois, &c. Mr. Rohbock intends to use this instrument in giving lessons to pupils who wish to study organ music, and to use such an organ will be of immense advantage to such students, as a proper idea of organ playing cannot be given on a piano. Mr. Rohbock, in selecting the Mason & Hamlin make, does credit to his judgment, and pays a flattering compliment to the manufacturers. The popularity of the Cabinet Organs is constantly increasing, which is the best evidence of their excellence, and proves them to possess those qualities which an instrument of that kind should have. Messrs. Mellor & Co., are the sole agents, and have a splendid selection always at their warerooms, No. 87 Wood street.

### New Grocery Store in Allegheny.

While passing through Allegheny yesterday we happened to call in at the new Grocery establishment of Messrs. Porter & Smith, successors to Wm. Hayes, on the corner of Anderson and Robinson streets. The store has just been refitted and opened, and is stocked with everything in the grocery line. Mr. Porter, having just arrived from the West, where he purchased his stock, the firm have now on hand a complete assortment of the choicest sugars, teas, coffees, spices, canned fruit, and everything in the grocery line, which they are prepared to sell at the lowest possible figures, and cheaper than any other house in the two cities. We would advise our readers to give Messrs. Porter & Smith a call before purchasing elsewhere, and as they are both courteous and obliging gentlemen, customers will be well attended to.

### A Card from Dr. Page.

MR. EDITOR:—Will you do me the favor to announce in a vacant corner of your journal that, having mislaid a letter addressed to me by a committee of gentlemen connected with our public schools, and in which they very politely requested me to deliver some time in April next, a discourse on 'Popular Education,' I hold myself in readiness to comply therewith, and hereby would beg leave to say in advance, that I have chosen as the topic of my lecture, that more than poetic truth of the Ayeshire bard, "A man's a man for a' that."

DAVID C. PAGE,
240 Eastern Avenue, Allegheny City.

AUCTION SALES.—The following auction sales will be held during the coming week by Smithson Palmer & Co.—Monday, March 25, at residence 145 Second street, the entire furniture and household goods. Tuesday, at the Masonic Auction Rooms, 55 and 57 Fifth street. Wednesday, at residence 109 Pennsylvania Avenue, furniture and household goods; also the grocery and produce store No. 50 Federal street Allegheny City. Thursday, at the Masonic Hall Auction Rooms, and at 22 Wylie street, dry goods and trimming store and furniture; also at the residence at corner of Morgan and Robinson streets, Allegheny City, furniture and household goods. Friday at residence 893 Penn street, furniture and household goods. Saturday, McFarland's cigar store, Smithfield street. T. A. McClelland, Auctioneer.

PATENTS ISSUED.—The following patents were issued to Pennsylvanians from the United States Patent Office for the week ending March 12th, 1867:

Edward A. L. Roberts, of Titusville, Pa., for improved torpedo for oil wells.

David L. Furner, of Rostraver, Pa., for improved machine for washing sand and other materials.

John Nagele, of Duncansville, Pa., for improvement in the manufacture of artificial stone

Solomon Andrews, of Perth Amboy, N. J., assignor to Emmett Dinsmore, of Erie, Pa., and Charles W. Plumb, of New York, N. Y., for tobacco pipe.

FASHIONABLE AND SEASONABLE GOODS.—Messrs. Urling & Buchlon, Merchant Tailors, have just opened up at their establishment, No. 54 St. Clair street, a choice assortment of Spring goods, of all the desirable qualities and most fashionable styles, suitable for dress and business suits, to which they invite the attention of gentlemen. Messrs. Urling & Buchlon are pepared to make garments in the latest and most approved styles, promptly and expeditiously, and parties desiring anything in the clothing line would do well to give them a call.

FAIR IN MANCHESTER.—A Fair and Festival is in progress in Henry's Hall, on Beaver street, Manchester, for the benefit of the new church edifice of the Methodist congregatin in that place. The Fair commenced on Monday night last, and has been crowded nightly since that time. It will close to-night. One of the features of the Fair is a silver tea set, to be presented to the minister receiving the highest number of votes.

OUR readers who are about refurnishing their dwellings, should not fail to attend the sale of elegant furniture, carpets, &c., at the late residence of Jesse W. Carr, Esq., No. 30 Washington street, Allegheny City, this morning, at 10 o'clock. John D. Bailey is the auctioneer.

Y. M. C. A.—The regular monthly meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held in First Methodist Church, Fifth street, Saturday evening, at half-past seven o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

CITY MORTUARY REPORT.—The number of interments in the city for the week ending March 17th, as reported by Dr. A. G. McCandless, Physician of the Board of Health, was twenty-four. The causes of death were as follows: Intemperance, 1; consumption, 2; apoplexy, 2; dropsy, 3; disease of heart, 2; small pox, 1; meningitis, 1; debility, 1; whooping cough, 4; diptheria, 1; spasms, 1; conjestion of lungs, 2; abscess of groin, 1; catarrh fever, 1; still born, 1. Of the above, eleven were adults, and thirteen children. Males, twelve; females, twelve. White, twenty-two; colored, two.

THE CHRONICLE IN A NEW DRESS.—Our enterprising neighbors, Messrs. Siebeneck & Collins, yesterday issued the *Chronicle* in a handsome new dress, and it now presents as neat and tasteful appearance as any of its contemporaries. The *Chronicle* enjoys a good share of advertising patronage, which indicates its deserved popularity with the people.

### Coal Men

Will have substantial reason to regret not seeing our various improvements in scales for weighing coal. J. F. Keeler, 38 Wood street.

SILL & GILLESPIE, Dentists, No. 246 Penn street.

GET ONLY THE BEST.—Godfrey & Clark, No. 357 Liberty street, manufacture the *best* paper sack, for putting up wheat and buckwheat flour, in small bulk, or from one to fifty pounds. We say this after having given the sacks made by all the different manufacturers a careful inspection. Hence we recommend Godfrey & Clark's sacks to all who may have occasion to use them. These sacks are stronger than any other in the market, and have been submitted to severer tests, which they stood to the entire satisfaction of all present, and were pronounced unequalled. The bottoms are stronger, and the entire sack will stand a greater amount of handling. They are almost entirely impervious to water, and the accumulation of dust does not soil them, as it can be entirely blown off with a single breath, owing to the beautiful smooth surface of the paper. In the matter of cost these are more desirable than any other sack, because they are not only far more serviceable and perfect in every feature, but they are furnished at the same price as those manufactured in the East, less the heavy cost and long delays of freight. The millers of Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and West Virginia, are invited to send for samples of these sacks and judge for themselves of their superior merits. Messrs. Godfrey & Clark are able to supply their customers from ten days to two weeks earlier than any other paper sack manufacturer in the United States.

### Sworn to Before His Honor, the Mayor of Pittsburgh.

INDIAN HERB DOCTOR.—Dear Sir: Supposing that others afflicted as I have been may be benefitted by the knowledge and use of your medicines and treatment, I am induced to make the following statement: For a long time I have been afflicted with consumption—said to be in the last stage by many doctors. They all failed to cure me. I applied to the Indian Herb Doctor, of 194 Liberty street. My coughing, spitting blood, pain in the chest, are all gone. My voice is quite restored. I feel as strong as ever, and from having been reduced to a skeleton, I have gained twenty-one pounds since I commenced taking his medicines.

As I experienced so much benefit from the use of the Indian Herb Doctor's medicines, I feel as though I could not say enough in their favor, still I feel thankful to God, the author and preserver of my life, that he has guided me to the Indian Herb Doctor, who has cured me.

MICHAEL CONNOR.

Sworn and subscribed to before me, William C. McCarthy, Mayor, in and for the said city of Pittsburgh, this 25th day of February, 1867.

WM. C. McCARTHY, Mayor.

The Doctor's office is No. 194 Liberty street.

CONSUMPTION CURABLE BY A NEW TREATMENT AND THEORY.—The vile destroyer of the parent's hope, this fell monster, the devourer of mankind! There are thousands daily suffering from the early stages of this destroying malady, who could be thoroughly cured while in its infancy, by applying the proper remedies, who, if aware of the fatal results, would take immediate steps to check it in the bud.

Oh, how many thousands who are but slightly troubled with this irritation of the throat and air passages this day, will be mouldering in the silent dust before the expiration of twelve months, through gross carelessness on their part.

OUR MOTTO.

We use such Balsams as have no strife
With Nature or the Laws of Life;
With blood our hand we never stain,
Nor poison men to ease their pain.

Our Father, whom all goodness fills,
Provides the means to cure all ills;
The simple herbs beneath our feet,
Well used, relieve our pains complete.

A simple Herb, a simple Flower,
Culled from the dewy Lea—
These shall speak in touching power,
Of change and health to thee.

The Indian Herb Doctor will describe diseases, and tell his patients the nature of their complaints or illness, without receiving any information from them. No charge for consultation or advice. Office, 194 Liberty street.

NEW BOOKS received at Pittock's opposite the Postoffice, this week: "David Copperfield," Diamond Edition, being the third of Ticknor & Fields's series. "The Rich Husband," by Mrs. Riddle. "Religious Poems," by Harriet Beecher Stowe. "Ecce Deus," Essays on the Life and Doctrine of Jesus Christ, with Controversial Notes on Ecce Homo. "Mosby and his Men," by one of his Officers. "The Good Report," or Morning and Evening Lessons for Lent, by Alice B. Haven. "The Cruise of the Shenandoah," by one of her Officers.

Stereoscopic views of Pittsburgh, Washington City, Pennsylvania Railroad, Parts, New York, Switzerland, New England, Scotland, Hudson River, Italy, Niagara Falls, English Statuary, Mammoth Cave, South America, Catskill Falls, Cuba, California, New Greneda, Passaic and Trenton Falls, Colored Groups, Central Park, Cathedrals, Churches and noted buildings, at Pittock's opposite the Postoffice.

Pittock's is the place (the Postoffice is opposite his place of business), to buy any of the new books you want, newspapers or late magazines, a gold pen, wallet, purse, pocket-book, pocket-knife, photograph album, Pang's album cards, reward cards, games, &c., &c.

REMOVAL.—Owen Byrne, Merchant Tailor, formerly of 52 St. Clair street, can be found at 14 Wylie street, under Ashland Hall.

THE BEST TONIC.—Caswell, Mack & Co.'s Combination of Iron, Phosphorated and Calisaya, known as Ferro—Phosphorated Elixer of Calisaya. The Iron restores color to the blood; the Phosphorus renews waste of the nerve tissue, and the Calisaya gives a natural, healthful tone to the digestive organs.

One pint contains the virtue of one ounce of Calisaya, and one teaspoonful a grain of Iron and Phosphorus.

Manufactured by Caswell, Mack & Co., New York. For sale by all druggists. s*

JUST RECEIVED.—A fine assortment of cheap Spring flowers at Abel & Co.'s, No. 54 St. Clair street.

### Public Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—This afternoon, the always acceptable play of the "Three Guardsmen," will be performed. In the evening, Miss Kate Reignolds will make her last appearance this season, when will be produced the new sensation play, "The Queen of the Silver Ivy," the entertainment closing with the last three acts of "London Assurance." This is a very attractive bill for Saturday evening, and should cause an overflowing audience to be present.

On Monday evening the charming young actress, Miss Emilie Melville, will appear as "Fanchon."

VARIETIES THEATER.—Manager Myers announces a capital bill for this evening's performance—a melo-drama, new songs, dances, acrobatic feats, minstrelsy and a budget of comicalities.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.—MUSHROOM IMITATIONS.—Success is the "prevalent cradle" of innumerable humbugs. No sooner had HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS made their mark in the world than up sprang a host of imitations, and as the great restorative grew and spread, the pestiferous crop of poisonous mockeries thickened. But the true medicine has lived them down. One by one they have disappeared. When the bellows of puffery, which kept alive the feeble fire of their borrowed reputation, ceased to blow, they ceased to live, and thus they continue to come and go. Meanwhile, HOSTETTER'S BITTERS, the great protective and remedial tonic of the age, have progressed in popularity each succeeding year. Their success as a means of preventing and curing the diseases resulting from malaria, unwholesome water, and all unhealthy climatic influences, has been boundless; and as a remedy for Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Fever and Ague, General Weakness and Debility, and all complaints originating in Indigestion, they are now admitted to be superior to any other preparation ever advertised or prescribed. From the home market, to which a few years ago they were confined, their sale has been extended into every State in this Union, over the whole of South and Central America, Mexico, the West Indies, the Sandwich Islands, Australia, China and Japan. Home and foreign testimony show that HOSTETTER'S BITTERS are the most remarkable tonic and invigorant now before the world.

## DIED:

GIBSON—At two o'clock, Friday morning, March 22d, WM. GIBSON, Sr., in the 81st year of his age.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his son, No. 211 Lacock street, Allegheny city, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

CHAMBERS—On Thursday, March 21st, DAVID M. CHAMBERS, aged 13 years and 3 months, son of J. B. and Matilda Chambers.

The funeral will take place THIS AFTERNOON at 2 o'clock, from the residence of his parents, Fulton street, near Ohio avenue, Manchester. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

Carriages will leave W. H. Devore's, 104 Grant street, at 1½ o'clock, P. M.

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## IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

**Per Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.**

Shoenberger & Blair, 11 cars iron ore; Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Co, 4 cars cryolite; Wm Kirkpatrick & Co, 12 bbls tar; Walker & Co, 25 bbls rosin; Schomaker & Lang, 15 bbls vinegar; Hitchcock, McCreery & Co, 136 bags rye; A. Koch, 7 pkgs produce; J B McLaughlin & Co, 30 bxs cans; Atwood & McCaffrey, 1 pump and 2 pcs pipe; S Harbaugh, 25 sks rye; B Bruggeman, 6 bbls apples, 2 do eggs; Wm Bingham, 27 sks oats; A Garrison & Co, 1 bark mill; Carson, Darlington & Co, 6 ale bbls; Jas McKinney, 1 cars oats; H Rea, Jr, 1 bbl butter; S Huber, 100 jugs molls, 1 box sugar; Lewis & McClure, 24 jugs molls; H Riddle, 4 bbls butter; Vangorder & Shephard, 8 bbls butter and eggs; L H Voigt & Co, 2 bbls eggs, 6 pkgs produce; John McGrewnghaw, lot of household goods; Munhall & McGraw, 6 bbls vinegar; Atwell, Lee & Co, 7 pgks produce; Bedford Chair Co, 87 bdls chairs, 21 do rockers; W D Patterson, 3 bxs New Orleans sugar; John Porterfield & Co, 61 jugs molls; Sturgeon & Bro, 12 bbls green apples; J McAlpin, 1 sk clover seed; Jas Connor, 15 bbls molls; W H Kirkpatrick, 3 do do, 100 bbls flour; Head & Metzgar, 16 pkgs produce; Graham & Thomas, 200 bbls flour; E H Myers & Co, 100 do do; S B Floyd & Co, 100 do do.

ALLEGHENY STATION.—Zinkand & Andregg, 3 bls flour; R T Kennedy & Bro, 1 car wheat; Smith & Co, 7 empty ale bbls; Beckfeld & Niehaus, 10 bxs soap; Schulz, Son & Co, 1 bbl eggs, 1 keg do; John Herbert, 4 bbls eggs; A Hesperger, 1 boiler, 1 fly wheel, etc.

**Pitts. Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railroad.**

L H Voigt & Co, 4 bbls apples, 1 do cider, 1 bbl butter, 4 sks seeds, 2 kegs lard, 1 bbl onions; T C Jenkins, 14 kegs apple butter, 12 kegs butter, 400 bbls flour; J Ackerman, 1 half bbl butter; McElroy, Dickson & Co, 1 box sundries; McCullough, Smith & Co, 7 sks rags; E Edmundson & Co, 12 sks husks; G W Phillis, 30 sks timothy seed, 1 do dried apples, 9 bdls brooms; J Floyd & Co, 1 bbl butter, 15 sides meat, 15 shoulders, 15 hams; Evans, Dallas & Gilmore, 20 doz pails, 3 doz tubs; D Chestnut & Co, 1 roll leather; Arbuckle & Co, 5 doz tubs; J H Lippincott, 10 doz pails, 1 doz tubs, 5 doz washboards; Head & Metzgar, 20 doz pails; Knox & McKee, 199 sks oats; J S Finch, 50 bbls whisky; Nimick & Co, 6 cars pig iron; Phillips & Mittensay, 1 car hoops; W Sumner & Co, 33 sewing machines, 1 box do; M Heyl, 1 hhd tobacco; W B Hays & Son, 1,514 shoulders, 1,637 sides, 21 jars butter; W J Meek, 177 sks corn, 163 sks rye; McHenry & Co, 1 car corn; Keil & Richart, 2 bbls eggs; Singer, Nimick & Co, 12 springs; J Doty, 10 bbls pot ash; Little, Baird & Patton, 1 box candies; Sturgeon & Bros, 2 bbls butter; C H Markle & Co, 5 sks rags; Carson, Darlington & Co, 200 sks barley; W D Patterson, 8 bbls apples; D R Galway, 7 cars barley; W H Garrard & Son, 1 car barley; J S Dilworth & Co, 100 bbls flour; C B Leech, 100 bbls flour; Gregg & Clendenning, 100 bbls flour; J Gardener & Co, 100 bbls flour; Moorhead & Co, 12 bdls sheet iron; C G Hussey, 140 pkgs lead; Lippincott & Bakewell, 2 bxs hardware; W P Townsend, 3 casks moulds, 2 bxs do; J H Ralston, 100 green hides; J Hammit & Son, 1 box harness; F Sellers & Co, 168 tcs hams; M McCullough & Co, 10 bbls flour; J R Canfield & Son, 275 pkgs lead; P Graver, 11 hhds hams; Haworth, McDonald & Co, 15 tierces hams.

ALLEGHENY STATION.—J Schonmaker & Son, 18 kegs; P H McKenna, 1 box mdse; Maggie Speer, 1 jar blackberries, 1 crock apple butter; J Christ, 1 lot marketing; H Lentz, do do; J W Hume, do do; Henry Rea, Jr, 1 car hay; R Knox & Son, 183 bags oats, 1 bbl empty kegs; R T Kennedy, 1 car wheat; R & W Jenkinson, 4 hhds tobacco; Superior Iron Co, 1 car lime stone; R Knox & Son, 200 bbls flour; M Weil, 29 bales hay; Kennedy & Lothrop, 1 car ear corn; W J Kountz, 195 bags oats; J H Myers, 1 car stoves; Geo Ober & Co, 200 sks barley; Samuel Dyer, 4 bags canary seed, 9 bbls green apples.

**Pitts. Columbus and Cincinnati Railroad.**

John Holman, 1 bbl butter, 2 sks beans, 1 sk onions; T C Jenkins, 5 bbls dried apples, 3 bbls eggs, 3 half do butter, 7 bbls timothy seed; Shipton & Wallace, 10 hlf bbls herrings; Blair & Woods, 1 bbl beans, 1 half bbl beans; Mesmor, Harper & Hood, 4 bbls apples, 2 do eggs, 20 sks barley; J L Patterson & Co, 58 bbls apples; Graff, Reiter & Co, 5 bbls eggs, 2 bbls butter, 3 kegs butter; E Smith, 5 bbls eggs, 1 sk furs, 3 sks rags, 1 sk dried apples, 1 sk onions; L H Voigt, 3 bbls eggs; R Robinson, 2 cws and calf, 1 box household goods; G D Whitcomb, 2 blocks and 1 strap; Mrs C Mann, 1 hhd tobacco; J Haworth & Co, 3 bxs frames; J L Reed, 1 box books; Union Iron Mills, 1 car scrap iron; Spencer & McKay, 524 sks barley.

**Per Allegheny Valley Railroad.**

C Reiter, 1 car hay; S M Kier & Co, 1 car fire clay; S Cooper, 20 bbls salt; T Wright, 15 sks oats, 3 pkgs marketing; J S Patterson, 2 bbls eggs, 2 do butter; J D Strouse, 2 bbls eggs, 1 do butter; L Miller, 1 bbl lard, 1 do butter, 1 do eggs, 2 sks buckwheat flour; J A Best, 1 bbl eggs, 2 sks buckwheat flour; L H Voigt & Co, 2 bbls eggs, 2 do butter; J Taylor, 1 box sacks; W Mooney, 4 bbls leather, 1 box leather; Atwell, Lee & Co, 5 kgs butter; W Weaver, 4 sheep, 3 calves; Adams & Austin, 50 sks oats; L J Blanchard, 1 keg lard, 1 box butter, 2 bxs eggs; D Wallace, 50 sks rye; Bear & Hines, 10 pkgs produce; W Bingham, 223 sks rye, 9 do rye; B Cregeland, 62 sks oats, 3 bbls eggs, 1 bbl onions; J Hazlett, 40 sks oats; Monongahela House, 10 pkgs marketing; John Hoffman, 11 calves; various owners, 4 car loads marketing.

**Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad.**

Loppy & Weise, 1 car bark; W Bingham, 58 bales hay; J C Bidwell, 6 cars lumber; W McCully & Co, 2 cars sand; C P Markle & Co, 31 bdls Commercial printing paper; Marshall, Fulton & Bollman, 21 coils rope; I N Hall, 3 bxs mdse; G G Clenner, 6 bxs, 1 bale mdse; A E Mason, 16 sks hair, 1 bbl maple sugar; W Wallack, 13 rolls leather; H Campbell, 1,000 feet lumber; L M Wickersham, 1 car pig iron; Page, Sellers & Duff, 1 car sand; Beck, Phillips & Co, 1 car sand.

## IMPORTS BY RIVER.

**Pitts. Brownv. and Geneva U. S. Mail Line.**

J Margan, 6 pkgs household goods; S McClain, 6 bbls eggs, 1 do butter, 4 calves; David Lash, 5 hogs, 2 bbls eggs, 1 chest butter, 20 pcs bacon; David Sever, 1 bbl whisky; Blair & Woods, 1 bbl eggs; McElroy, Dickson & Co, 2 sks wool; L H Voight & Co, 12 bbls eggs, 3 do butter; J L Moorhouse, 2 box sundries, 4 grate bars; A P Donaldson, 2 bxs household goods; Geho & Harmony, 2 jars butter; Little, Baird & Patton, 2 bbls buckets, 6 bbls, 1 keg, 1 box butter, 2 sks rags, ½ bbl molasses, 34 sks oats; J S Funk, 6 bbls and 1 box eggs, 3 bbls butter, 1 sk rags; Jesse Scott, 7 bbls and 1 keg eggs, 2 sks rags, 1 firkin butter; Stearns & Illig, 2 bbls eggs, 1 coop poultry, 1 box butter; W F Smith, 1 pkg roots; Wm Graber, 5 bxs and 5 bbls eggs; Wilson & Whitsall, 1 bbl and 1 box crackers; J Quaik, 4 pkgs mdse; Smith, Johnson & Colvin, 1 box cheese, 1 caddy tobacco; J C Gabler, 4 bxs glass; Peter Godell, 7 bxs eggs; K C Cameron, 12 bxs glass; James Holmes, 1 tool chest; Wm Harvey, 3 bbls eggs; W W Eckley, 1 box butter; John Nesh, 2 bbls flour; Thos Fawcett, 1 skiff.

**Parkersburg.**

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## FINANCE AND TRADE.

FRIDAY EVENING, March 22, 1867.

—The nearer the time approaches for the appearance of the quarterly statements of the National Banks, the more stringent becomes the money market. An impression prevails in some quarters that these statements of Banks represent the average or their condition for the three months, and that consequently there is no inducement for the Banks to make preparations for a good showing at the beginning of April. The supposition is erroneous. The Bank law reads thus: "Every association shall to make the Comptroller of the Currency a report, according to the form which may be prescribed by him, verified by the oath of affirmation of President or Cashier of such Association, which report shall exhibit in detail and under appropriate heads the resources and liabilites of the Association before the commencement of business on the morning of the first Monday of the months of January, April, July and October of each year."

—The quotations from the New York Stock Exchange of S. S. Bryan to-day were as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| Gold | 134⅛ |
| U. S. Bonds, 1881 | 109 |
| U. S. Bond, 5-20's, 1862 | 109¼ |
| U. S. Bonds, 5-20's, 1865 | 107⅛ |
| U. S. Bonds (new issue) 5-20's, 1865 | 107 |
| U. S. Bonds, 7-30's | 105⅝ |
| Michigan Southern | 73½ |
| Cleveland & Pittsburgh | 80½ |
| P., F. Wayne & Chicago | 96 |
| Erie | 58¾ |
| Chicago & Rock Island | 96⅞ |
| Chicago & Northwestern | 35½ |
| Chicago & Northwestern preferred | 64⅛ |
| New York Central | 105¼ |

—The New York *Commercial* remarks, that the sharp competition between the old express companies and the Mercantile Union Company produces more than usual interest in that class of stocks. All the companies are understood to be running at a loss; and as the Merchants' Union is a young institution, the conclusion in the public mind is that the Company must be suffering severely, and that the calls upon stockholders beyond what was anticipated are due to that cause. The inability of some of the subscribers to pay up the calls causes a steady supply of the stock to come upon the market, and keeps down the price. The following are the current quotations for the stock of the several companies:

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Adams | 56 | 59 |
| American | 56 | 58 |
| United States | .. | .. |
| Wells, Fargo & Co | 34 | 36 |
| National | .. | 90 |
| Merchants' Union | 14 | 14 |

—The demand for money in the large cities is increased just now by reason of the numerous applications for means from the interior banks. The first of April has, for many years past, been the period when the country banks were called on most largely; and they usually, under the old State bank system, met the demand by a fresh issue of bank notes, scattering broadcast all over the country, the farther from home the better, as they were the longer getting back, to the greater profit to the bank. That mode of making currency at pleasure is stopped under the National Banking Law, and the only recourse by the country banks now is to call in their city balances and borrow as much more from the city banks as they can arrange for on their credit command. The amount that will be taken from this city between now and the end of the present month will be large, though much less than will be asked for. Nearly every country bank is, or will be, on the market. The banks of one county alone we understand, are asking accommodations to the amount of a million of dollars. The recent bank failures and the large drafts made by the Government upon their depositories have awakened a deal of caution on the part of creditor banks. There is a growing disposition to get back to legitimate banking—to the discounting of short-time paper based on the exchange of property, the product of labor. The old banks, as the rule, have their lines full of Government securities, and do not care to increase it. For these reasons the country banks will probably get less than they expect, and the consequence will be a denial, in turn, of accommodations to their customers, with some corresponding stringency in the "money market" in the country. This, however, is not likely to be of greater severity at present than is necessary as a wholesome admonition to be prepared to meet whatever course the present dull and stagnant market may take.—*Philadelphia Ledger*.

—The quarterly statements of the National Banks show a steady decrease in the surplus of reserve, and should teach people to be as free of bank loans as possible, in view of the contraction in bank credits which must inevitably take place under the retirement of plain legal tenders and the funding and payment of compound notes. The following table will show the surplus of reserves in the New York City Banks since December 30, 1865, when the banks commenced to count as legal tender all their call loans to the Treasury, and made for themselves the strongest arrangement of their items:

| | Dec. 30, '65. | Mar. 19, '66. |
|---|---|---|
| Specie | $15,[illegible] | $15,031,242 |
| Legal Tender | 71,345,[illegible] | 68,492,761 |
| Reserve | $86,466,765 | $83,418,096 |
| 25 per cent on Deposits and Circulation | 51,803,885 | 52,135,429 |
| Surplus | $34,662,880 | $31,282,567 |
| | Dec. 15, '66. | Mar. 16, '67. |
| Specie | $13,991,700 | $ 9,818,722 |
| Legal Tender | 63,994,149 | 62,813,030 |
| Reserve | $77,985,509 | $72,781,752 |
| 25 per cent on Deposits and Circulation | 59,568,981 | 57,862,360 |
| Surplus | $18,421,528 | $14,919,392 |
| Decrease of surplus in the year | | $16,363,175 |

The future movements will show a more rapid contraction through the reduction of compounds and legal tenders. When the compounds begin to mature and pass into funded debt, as they will, instead of being paid in currency in full, as speculative borrowers hope, there will follow a rapid contraction of bank credits, with the usual effect upon overtraders, speculators and borrowers of all degrees.—*New York Tribune of Wednesday.*

## PRODUCE AND GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY EVENING, March 22, 1867.

On account of the disagreeable state of the weather, there was not as much activity in the general markets, the past day or so, as there would have been had it been otherwise. Country roads are very bad and country people will not venture out until compelled by necessity. There is, however, a fair trade doing in leading articles of produce. Flour is active and held with much firmness. What little wheat there is in the market is held firmly at the advanced prices. Rye is excited and advancing. Corn and oats are in better demand and held at higher figures. There is a good demand for Groceries. Choice coffee is rather scarce, but a good supply of prime in the market. Sugars are still at former quotations. In some descriptions of groceries, higher prices are anticipated before long. There are considerable transactions in bacon and lard, and an advance in prices is looked for.

The receipts per river and railroad, since our last, were as follows: Flour, 2,602 bbls; apples, 48 bbls; corn, 636 sacks; barley, 285 sacks; wheat, 163 sacks; rye, 257 sacks; oats, 632 sacks; butter, 103 packages, and bulk meats 10,236 pieces.

We quote the Pittsburgh market as follows, which are the wholesale prices, unless otherwise stated:

ASHES—Sales reported of 10 tons pearl ash at 13c, and 20 tons soda ash at 5¼c ₱ lb.

APPLES—Sales were made at lower figures. 40 bbls sold at $2 50@3 25 for good to prime, and 15 bbls choice repacked at $3 75 per bbl. We note also sales of 20 bbls at $1 62; 10 bbls at $3 00, and 3 bbls at $4 00 ₱ barrel.

BROOMS—We note sales of 30 doz No. 2 at $2 50 ₱ dozen.

APPLE BUTTER—Sales of 7 kegs apple butter at 75c per gallon, reported.

BEANS—We note sales of prime Navy, in small lots at $2 75@2 90 per bushel.

BUTTER—The best grades of fresh butter are still scarce, and commands good prices. We note sales of 5 lbs at 28c; 3 kegs at 30@32c; 1,500 lbs roll at 32@36c; 5 half bbls roll at 32c, and 10 bbls low grade at 15@25c ₱ lb. Also, 1 bbl extra prime at 37c ₱ lb; 14 kegs prime roll at 33c; 800 lbs roll at 37c ₱ lb; 3 pkgs and 3 do at 25@28c ₱ lb.

BACON AND LARD—We quote sugar-cured hams at 15¾@16c; shoulders, 10½c; sides, 12c. Dried beef, 22c. Lard, 13c. Sales 40 kegs, country lard, at 11½c ₱ lb, and 1,500 lbs sugar-cured hams at 15½c, reported.

BEEF TONGUES—We quote selling at $10 00@10 50 ₱ dozen.

CHEESE—Sales reported of 50 boxes H. cheese at 18c; 10 boxes N. Y. Goshen at 22c; 12 boxes Ohio at 18c, and 10 boxes N. Y. Goshen at 20c ₱ lb.

DRIED FRUITS—We note sales of 10 bbls choice peaches at 20c ₱ lb for halves, and 1,600 lbs common dried apples at 7c ₱ lb.

EGGS—Sales of 30 bbls at 21½c; 6 bbls at 22c; 12 bbls at 21c; 3 bbls at 22c; 10 bbls A 21c, and 8 bbls at 20c, reported.

FEATHERS—We quote the best, from store, at $1 ₱ lb. Sales of 120 lbs at that figure.

FISH—We note sales of 10 half bbls L. H. at $4 25, and 10 do at $4 25.

FLOUR—There is a continued active demand, and holders are firm at $12 25@12 50 for good spring, and $12 50@13 00 ₱ bbl for choice. We quote winter wheat flour $14@15, and fancy $16 50@17 ₱ bbl. We note sales of 100 bbls low grade spring at $11 50; 100 choice at $12 50@13 00 ₱ bbl; 50 bbls amber Iowa at $12 40.

RYE FLOUR—Sales reported of 75 barrels at $7 40 ₱ barrel.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Sales were made at $3 50@3 75 ₱ hundred.

GRAIN—There is a continued activity in the Grain market. We quote No. 1 Spring wheat active at $2 85, and No. 2 at $2 60@2 70 ₱ bushel. There is but little in the market. Our prints this morning read a sale of 1 car No. 1 Spring at $2 70. It should have read 1 car of No. 2. We note sales of 500 bushels rye on the wharf, at $1 35 per bushel; 1 car shelled corn in elevator, at 80c; 50 sacks rye, at depot, at $1 35; 100 bushels barley, on track, at $1 05; 58 sacks barley, on wharf, at $1 10; 300 sacks ear corn, on the wharf, at 73c; 200 bushels ear corn, from store, at 75c; 200 bushels oats, wharf, at 51c; 350 bushels oats, from store, at 55c.

HAY—Sales of 2 cars on the track at $23 00 per ton; 1 car do. at $25 00 ₱ ton. On account of bad roads there is but little coming in by wagon and we quote such selling at $26 00@30 00 ₱ ton.

LEAD—Sales reported of 500 pigs soft at 10½c ₱ lb.

LARD OIL—We quote No. 1 from first hands at $1 10@1 12 and No. 2 at 90c ₱ gallon.

MESS PORK—Sales to trade of 7 bbls mess pork at $23 00 ₱ bbl.

SORGHUM—We note sales of 8 bbls choice at 55c and 10 bbls at 43c ₱ gallon.

SEED—We note sales of 72 bush clover seed at $8 50, and 15 bush timothy at $2 65 ₱ bush. The latter sale is below the regular market price.

POTATOES—We quote peachblows, selling in a small way from store, at 75@80c ₱ bush.

We condense from our latest exchanges the following:

FLOUR AND GRAIN IN STORE IN CHICAGO.

The amount of flour and grain in store, in Chicago, on Saturday last, compared with the same time last year is as follows:

| | March 17, 1866. | March 16, 1867. |
|---|---|---|
| Flour, bbls | 28,443 | 75,620 |
| Wheat, ctls | 695,438 | 341,673 |
| Corn, ctls | 358,670 | 436,731 |
| Oats, ctls | 321,803 | 228,080 |
| Rye, ctls | 63,219 | 40,721 |
| Barley, ctls | 120,099 | 101,855 |

GRAIN IN STORE AT BUFFALO—MARCH 20.

| | |
|---|---|
| Wheat, bush | 167,000 |
| Corn, bush | 256,000 |
| Oats, bush | 290,000 |
| Rye, bush | 30,000 |
| Barley, bush | 7,000 |
| Peas, bush | 8,000 |

LOUISVILLE TOBACCO MARKET.

The market was more active. Prices were well sustained, with sales of Hart county leaf at $28@30. Sales included 7 hhds at $2 40@2 90, 26 at $3@3 90, 29 at $4@4 90, 22 at 5@5 80, 10 at 6@6 90, 24 at 7@7 95, 13 at 8@8 85, 16 at 9@9 95, 19 at 10@10 80, 15 at 11@11 75, 8 at 12@12 75, 8 at 13@13 75, 2 at 14 25@14 50, 4 at 15@15 95, 2 at 16; 2 hhds Hart county at 28@30.

NEW BEDFORD OIL MARKET.

The market for both sperm and whale oil has been quiet, says the *Whalemen's Shipping List*, of the 18th inst. The only transactions which we have to note are sales of 150 bbls sperm, of the Fredonia's cargo, at $2 70; 160 bbls in Westport and 54 bbls landed from the J. M. Wisell, on private terms—all for manufacturing purposes. The imports for the week were 1,161 bbls sperm; 4,520 bbls whale and 143,500 lbs bone. The imports since January 1st were 5,936 bbls sperm; 12,512 bbls whale 425,650 lbs bone. Same time last year 3,654 bbls sperm; 2,557 bbls whale and 83,950 lbs bone.

NEW YORK BUTTER MARKET.

On account of the late storms the arrivals of butter, for a day or two past, have been light, but there is, however, no scarcity of butter, says the *Tribune*, and if lighter receipts will only enable holders and commission men to work down their heavy stocks they will pray for a let up in the arrivals. There is already a sprinkling of new, one house getting 15 packages this morning, while another is apprised of 60 started from the central part of the State. New sells, by the single package, at 35@40c, but 30@35 is about as much as it will bear in lots. Of the old we can only refer to the remarks of last week, with the additional fact that holders are wisely cutting loose on low grades, selling to shippers at 11@13c for grease, though few buyers will pay over 12c. More than 1,000 packages of this kind have been sold during the past week, and owners of fine hope that as this leaves the country it will help the better grades. Fine selected State dairies have been sold within a day or two at 28c, and is freely offered at 25c. Still there is butter held at 32c, and even selling, in a small way, at 32@35c but is so much above the ordinary dairies of good sound butter we do not quote them. Welsh is coming poor, and does not sell—a dealer having more than 1,000 State tubs offers to clean them out at 20c. To sum up we will say that butter is nominal, or has no fixed price—a dealer trying to get 35c for a selected fine dairy, but selling at 28c rather than let his customer go. There are lots of butter still on the market which costs 35@45c, but will have to be sold at half these figures. Some Canada butter, in bond, is held for 12½c in gold. New is expected to come forward tolerably free by the middle of next month, so there are not many weeks in which to use up the old. Some parties are still sanguine that fine, old will go out at higher figures than it is now selling for, but we cannot advise farmers to hold on in consequence—they may have to hold on from the inability of commission men to sell. The trade will not bear of pushing except it comes down to grease prices.

## PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY, March 22, 1867.

Business yesterday was not very active. The sales made were not very extensive, buyers and sellers being apart in their views, and as neither party were disposed to give way, we have no large sales to record. The river to Oil City being very low, navigation by steamers has been suspended for the present. The stock of oil on hand, of course we refer to crude, remains light. Among the sales we note as follows: 2,000 bbls, April and May delivery, 6⅛c; 1,000 bbls do. April delivery, 6⅛c, sales including packages, 11½@12c. The market closed firm at the figures we have named.

REFINED OIL.—The demand was larger, with a better feeling in the market. A sale of 9,000 bbls was made in Philadelphia, standard white, 27½c, April delivery. This is certainly a low figure. The same sale could not be duplicated for less than 28c. Refiners have sold pretty well up and are not anxious to force matters. Sales 500 bbls, bonded, standard white, free on cars at works, 21½c; small sales of free were reported at 40c.

TITUSVILLE, PA.—Owing to the difficulty in transporting oil to Pittsburgh in consequence of the low water in the creek, there was but an ordinary amount of activity, says the *Herald*, of Wednesday, in the petroleum market. The producers are, however, holding firm and yesterday's prices have been fully maintained. The inquiry to-day was fair and mostly for the New York market. On Pioneer Run buyer's were freely offering $1 60 for gravity oil delivered on the cars, or $1 50 at the wells. In the vicinity of Petroleum Centre offers were made of $1 70 for 47 gravity oil delivered on the cars. The sale are 500 barrels on the McCray Farm, by the Shirely Run Oil Co., for the Pittsburgh market, 46 gr. at $1 85 at the wells, 500 barrels on Benninghoff Hill, delivered on the cars at Petroleum Centre for the Pittsburgh market, on 1,000 bbls on the McClintock Farm, by the Central Petroleum Company, for the Pittsburgh market, 47 gr. $1 75, delivered on the cars; 500 bbls on Pioneer Run by the Shoe & Leather Petroleum Company, for the New York market, 47 to 49 gr. at $1 56 at the wells; 500 bbls on the Foot Farm, for the New York market, 47 gr. at $1 60 delivered on cars; on Pioneer Run, by the Harris Oil Company, for the New York market, 48 gr. at $1 60 delivered on the cars.

The total shipments over the Oil Creek Railroad for the week ending March 19th, were 20,823 bbls, and over the Farmer's Railroad for the week ending March 18th, 7,565 bbls. Total 28,388 bbls.

NEW YORK.—Petroleum continues in demand at from 16@17c for Crude; 25@28c for ordinary to prime Refined, in bond, and 40@42c for Refined, free, ₱ gallon.

**Oil Shipped East by A. V. R. R.**

Clark & Sumner, 386 bbls refined, Phila.
Nat. Ref. & St. Co. 300 bbls refined, Phila.
Lucesco Oil Company, 388 bbls ref., Phila.
Lockhart & Frew, 219 bbls refined, Phila.
O B Jones, 164 bbls refined, Philadelphia.

## WEEKLY REVIEW OF THE PIG IRON AND BLOOM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

The Pig Iron market has come pretty much to a stand still. The sales were confined to very limited parcels to meet the immediate wants of consumers. The continued suspension of operations by the iron mills and principal foundries of the city, has caused an almost entire suspension of sales of crude iron; the stocks of crude irons are unusually light, and with limited receipts. Holders are disposed to wait a revival of trade, and a return of consumptive demand, rather than press their stocks on the market. The only sales that were reported are as follows:

TRANSACTIONS IN PIG METAL.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 200 tons | Muck Bar | $ 76 00—4 mos |
| 100 " | Muck Bar | 76 00—4 mos |
| 166 " | Mahoning Valley Forge | 45 00—4 mos |
| 50 " | Cold Blast Charcoal | 110 00—4 mos |
| 10 " | Juniata Blooms | 105 00—4 mos |

## WEEKLY REVIEW OF MARKETS.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY, March 22, 1867.

Outside of our daily review of the produce and general markets, we have but few reports worthy of special attention to make. There is no change to note in the iron trade. The market is extremely dull, and with no orders of moment ahead, there is but little prospect, whatever, of an early start of the mills, at present idle. If the Puddlers would agree to go to work to-day at $7 00 ₱ ton, it would not pay the manufacturers to resume work. The whole spring trade has gone to other and cheaper markets. Our iron warehouses are filled with stocks, which at the present rate of demand, will require a very long time to reduce to anything like a standard, which will need replenishing by mill work. The present appearances warrant a conclusion, that the majority of iron mills now idle, will not resume active operations for months to come. The copper market is also dull. Tin roofing is very dull, and prices have declined very materially. In the lumber market there has been a decline in the prices of second common, and hemlock joists and scantling, and planed partition boards. In the broom market there has been a reduction of prices. In the tobacco market the only change is in spun roll and navy. In the leather and hide market we note a reduction in red sole B. A. and Oronoco, and in green salted hides. In soap and candles we note a reduction in Sawyer's prices of castile soap and star and crystaline candles.

In wrapping paper there has been a considerable reduction in prices, and in rags of a good quality, an advance. The card prices of the ales manufactured by Carson, Darlington & Co., and by Spencer & McKay, old standards, remain as last quoted. We have no change or remarks to make in regard to the other markets under the weekly review.

## LUMBER MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

Business is active, and prices firm, with a supply in the yards sufficient to meet all immediate demands. Rafts are arriving from the Allegheny River pine region. We quote yard prices as follows:

UNPLANED LUMBER.

| | |
|---|---|
| Clear, ₱ M | $65 00 |
| First Common | 55 00 |
| Second Common | 33 00 |
| Third Common | 28 00 |
| Sheeting | |
| Hemlock Joists and Scantling | 22 00 |

PLANED LUMBER.

| | |
|---|---|
| First common, ₱ M | 61 00 |
| Clear | 71 00 |
| Flooring Boards | 43 00 |
| Partition Boards | 50 00 |
| Shelving on both sides | 43 00 |
| Shelving on one side | 41 00 |
| Plow and drop weatherboarding | 43 00 |
| Rabbeted weatherboarding | 43 00 |
| Half inch patent planed | 28 00 |
| Half inch patent unplaned | 23 00 |
| Twelve inch vertical, with strips | 41 00 |
| Oak and Yellow Pine flooring boards | 55 00 |

SHINGLES AND LATH.

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|---|---|
| No. 1, 18-inch, sawed | 8 50 |
| No. 2, 18-inch, sawed | 6 50 |
| No. 1, 16-inch, shaved | 7 50 |
| Lath | 5 00 |

## LEATHER, HIDES AND OIL.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

We quote as follows the current prices:

LEATHER.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oak sole, heavy | 42@46c | Extra shaved h'r's | 44c |
| Oak sole, middle and light | 40c | Black bridle, ₱ doz | $50@56 |
| Rough oak, heavy | 38@40c | Fair bridle, ₱ doz | [illegible] |
| Rough oak, light | 34@36c | Saddlers skirting | 45@48c |
| Finished calf | $1 25@1 75 | Shoe skirting | 42@44c |
| Waxed upper, ₱ ft | 25@26c | Red sole B. A. | 35@36c |
| Band leather | 45@50c | Red sole Orinoco | 31@35c |
| No. 1 oak harness | 42c | No. 1 pad skins, ₱ doz | $7 50@8 50 |

HIDES.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Green salted heavy | 13c | Green Calf | 18@20c |
| Green salted, 50 to 60 lbs | 12@12½c | Tanners' oil No. 1 ₱ gallon | $1 00@1 10 |
| Green Butchers' | 7@8c | Tallow No. 1 | 10c |
| Dry Flint | 21@24c | | |

## TIN, ROOFING, &c.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH DAILY COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

The following are the correct quotations:

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|---|---|
| I C 10x14 | $14 50 |
| I X 10x14 | 17 50 |
| I XX 10x14 | 21 75 |
| I C, 12x12 | 15 00 |
| I X, 12x12 | 18 00 |
| I C, 14x20 | 15 50 |
| I X, 14x20 | 18 50 |
| I XX, 14x20 | 23 00 |
| I C, roofing, 14x20 | 14 00 |
| I X, roofing, 14x20 | 17 50 |
| Bar Tin, ₱ lb | 37c |
| Pig Tin, ₱ lb | 35c |
| Sheet Zinc | 15c |
| Slab Spelter | 12c |

## BROOM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

The demand is good. We quote as follows:

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|---|---|
| Shaker No. 1 per doze | $3 00 |
| " " 2 " | 2 00 |
| Hurl " 1 " | 5 00 |
| " " 2 " | 4 00 |
| Braid " 1 " | 4 50 |
| " " 2 " | 4 00 |
| Western Common | 200 00 |
| Broom Corn, prime, per ton | 140@160 |
| Broom Corn, common, per ton | 20@30 |
| Broom handles, per 1000 | |
| Swallow Brooms, per dozen | 5 00 |

## PITTSBURGH DRUG MARKET.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Acid.* | | | *Oil.* | | |
| Acetic | lb | 36@40 | Cod livr | gal | 2 25@2 50 |
| Citric | lb | 96@1 00 | —Lemon | lb | 4 50@5 50 |
| Oxalic | lb | 50@52 | Larde | gal | 88@1 10 |
| Tartaric | lb | 82@58 | —Clncin | gal | 98@1 15 |
| Alcohol | gall | 4 00@4 50 | Lins'd | gal | 1 50@1 52 |
| *Aloes.* | | | Neatsf | gal | 1 45@1 65 |
| Cape | lb | 32@35 | Olive | gal | 2 25@2 50 |
| Socot | lb | 90@1 00 | —quarts | doz | 7 38@15 50 |
| Am. Carb | lb | 26@28 | —pints | doz | 4 50@4 75 |
| —Aqua | lb | 10½@14 | Origan | lb | 1 20@2 00 |
| Annotta | lb | 85@95 | Peppert | lb | 6 00@6 75 |
| Ashes Pot | lb | 9@10 | Rosemary | lb | 1 75@4 00 |
| —Soda | lb | 5¼@6¼ | Sassafras | lb | 1 20@1 35 |
| Bal. Copaib | lb | 95@1 00 | Sperm | gal | 3 55@3 75 |
| Bay rum | gal | 4 80@5 00 | Tanns | gal | 1 20@1 30 |
| *Bark.* | | | Whale | gal | 1 30@1 40 |
| Cassia | lb | 72@75 | Winteg'n | lb | 8 00@8 50 |
| Cinch r'd | lb | 2 20@2 35 | Opium Ty | lb | 10 25@10 50 |
| " Pale | lb | 70@55 | Phosphos | lb | 1 20@1 30 |
| " Com | lb | 45@65 | Pl Paris | bbl | 5 00@5 50 |
| *Black Lead.* | | | *Potass.* | | |
| American | lb | 5@6 | Bi chrom | lb | 24@26 |
| East Ind | lb | 13@16 | Chlorate | lb | 60@75 |
| German | lb | 7@9 | Iodide | lb | 6 00@6 20 |
| Blue Mass | lb | 66@68 | Prus yel | lb | 50@52 |
| Blue Vitr | lb | 14@15 | " Red | lb | 1 05@1 10 |
| Borax ref | lb | 40@43 | Putty | lb | 7@8½ |
| Brims roll | lb | 5½@6¼ | Quin sulp | oz | 2 35@2 45 |
| —Flor Sul | lb | 7¼@8 | Rosin | bbl | 7 00@8 00 |
| Calomel A | lb | 1 20@1 25 | *Root.* | | |
| —English | lb | 1 50@1 55 | Gentian | lb | 13@14 |
| Camp ref | lb | 1 10@1 15 | Gingr E I | lb | 28@30 |
| Canthar's | lb | 2 12@2 20 | " Jamca | lb | 47@49 |
| Cham. Ger | lb | 30@35 | Ipecac | lb | 5 10@5 25 |
| —Roman | lb | 70@80 | Jalap | lb | 2 75@2 90 |
| Chlorof'm | lb | 2 25@2 35 | Liquorice | lb | 20@25 |
| Cloves | lb | 48@50 | Rhub E I | lb | 3 60@3 80 |
| Cochineal | lb | 1 65@1 70 | Sars Hon | lb | 47@49 |
| Con lye case | | 11 00@11 50 | Senega | lb | 60@65 |
| Copp'rs | bbl | 8 00@9 00 | Valeri En | lb | 47@50 |
| CreamTar | lb | 36@50 | " Germ | lb | 25@30 |
| Cubebs | lb | 50@53 | Sal Ammo | lb | 19@21 |
| Cudbear | lb | 30@50 | —Epsom | lb | 5½@6 |
| Emery En | lb | 13@15 | —Soda | lb | 4@4½ |
| Et Nit sps | lb | 75@80 | *Seed.* | | |
| —Sulph | lb | 1 20@1 30 | Canary | bus | 5 75@6 50 |
| Ext Logw | lb | 12@15 | Hemp | bus | 3 25@3 75 |
| —Liq Cala | lb | 36@46 | Cardamn | lb | 3 75@4 25 |
| —Italian | lb | 50@52 | Mustard | lb | 18@21 |
| —Sicily | lb | 25@28 | Senna Al | lb | 41@48 |
| Fustic chi | lb | 4@5 | " F In | lb | 25@30 |
| Galls Alep | lb | 55@60 | *Soda.* | | |
| *Gum.* | | | Bi Carb | lb | 10@11 |
| Arabic sts | lb | 53@58 | Caustic | lb | 9½@10 |
| " White | lb | 85@90 | Soap Cast | lb | 22@25 |
| Myrrh T k | lb | 75@85 | —Cast wh | lb | 30@33 |
| Shellac | lb | 52@62 | Starch | lb | 7½@9 |
| Trag s'rts | lb | 50@55 | Sugar Ld | lb | 58@60 |
| " Flake | lb | 1 60@1 70 | Sumac Sic | lb | 10@12 |
| Hoffm's A | lb | 85@90 | Terra Jap | lb | 11½@12½ |
| Indigo M | lb | 1 50@1 60 | Turp sps | gal | 90@1 00 |
| —Span fl't | lb | 1 65@1 80 | *Varnish.* | | |
| Iodine res | lb | 6 90@7 20 | Copal | gal | 2 50@4 00 |
| Junip Ber | lb | 7@8 | Japan | gal | 1 30@2 00 |
| Log chip | lb | 3½@4½ | Damar | gal | 3 00@5 00 |
| Mace | lb | 1 68@1 73 | Ven Red | lb | 4½@5 |
| Madder | lb | 14@16 | *White Lead.* | | |
| Magne cal | lb | 75@1 50 | Pure | lb | 14½@15½ |
| —Carb | lb | 50@55 | Fancy br | lb | 6@13 |
| Manna SF | lb | 1 65@1 75 | Dry | lb | 12@13 |
| Morph sul | lb | 7 10@7 25 | *Red Lead.* | | |
| Nutm No1 | lb | 1 50@1 55 | Dry | lb | 14@15 |
| *Oil.* | | | Whiting | lb | 3½@4 |
| Bergamot | lb | 9 00@10 50 | Litharge | lb | 13@14 |
| —Castor | gal | 2 50@2 80 | Zinc, carb | lb | 13@14 |
| —Cinnam | lb | 5 25@5 50 | Zinc in oil | lb | 13@14 |
| —Cloves | lb | 4 30@4 60 | | | |

## IRON AND NAILS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

PRICES FOR PUDDLED IRON.

| | |
|---|---|
| Common Bar sizes | 5 |
| Horse Shoe | 6½ |
| Heavy Band | 5¾@6½ |
| Hoop and Light Band | 6¾@10¼ |
| Round and Square | 5¾@6 |
| Sheet Iron, 10 to 17 | 7 |
| " " 18 to 24 | 7½ |
| " " 25 to 26 | 7¾ |
| " " 27 | 8 |
| Plate Iron | 7 |
| Flat Rails | 5½@6 |
| T. Rail, 15 and 20 lbs | 5⅜@5¾ |
| Nail Rods | 11½ |

NAILS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 10d to 6d Nails, Fencing and Brads | $6 75 | 2d | 9 00 |
| | | 3d fine | 9 00 |
| 8d and 9d | 7 00 | 2d fine | 10 00 |
| 6d and 7d | 7 25 | ⅝ in lining | 10 50 |
| 4d and 5d | 7 50 | Clinch | 8 25 |
| 3d | 8 00 | Cut Spikes | 7 00 |

Casing Nails—6d, $7 75; 8d, $7 50; 10d, $7 25; 12d, $7 25; 16d, $7 25.

Finishing Nails—6d, $8 25; 8d, $8 00; 10d, $7 75; 12d, $7 75; 16d, $7 75.

Barrel Nails—⅞ inch, $9 50; 1 inch, $8 75; 1½ inch, $8 00; 1¼ inch, $8 00; 1½ inch, $7 50.

Tobacco Nails—6d, $7 50; 8d; $7 25; 10d, $7 00.

ABATEMENT—12½c per keg off, in lots of 100 kegs and upwards.

TERMS—Note or acceptance at 60 days, with exchange on New York, or a discount of 3 per cent. for cash, if remitted on receipt of invoice. Payments to be made in New York Exchange, U. S. Treasury Note or their equivalent. No discount on bills of less amount than $50 dollars.

## HEAVY HARDWARE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

The following are the card prices of Lewis, Oliver & Phillips, manufacturers:

| Carriage Bolts. | ₱ 100. |
|---|---|
| 1¼ inch to 7 in long by ¼ inch diameter | $2 40 to 3 50 |
| 1¼ inch to 8 inch long by 5-16 in diameter | 2 80 to 5 30 |
| 1½ inch to 9 inch long by ⅜ in diameter | 3 20 to 7 20 |
| 2 inch to 10 inch long by 7-16 in diameter | 5 40 to 10 20 |
| 2 inch to 12 inch long by ½ in diameter | 7 20 to 15 20 |
| 3 inch to 13 inch long by ⅝ in diameter | 13 00 to 28 00 |
| **Tire Bolts.** | **₱ 100.** |
| 1½ in to 4 in long by 3-16 and ¼ in diamt'r | $1 40 to 1 90 |
| 1¼ in to 5 in long by 5-16 inch diameter | 2 50 to 3 33 |
| 1¾ in to 5 in long by ⅜ inch diameter | 3 20 to 4 40 |
| 3 in to 5½ in long by 7-16 inch diameter | 5 30 to 6 95 |
| 3 in to 5½ in long by ½ inch diameter | 6 60 to 8 60 |

The usual discount on Carriage and Tire Bolts to the trade.

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|---|---|
| Tuyere irons, Duck nest, per doz | $16 00 |
| Do Common, ₱ lb | 5c |
| Do Harrington's patent | $6 00 to 10 00 |
| Hot pressed nuts, ⅜ in to 1¼ in, ₱ lb | 11 |
| Do do smaller and larger proportionate | — |
| Barge bolts, ₱ lb | 6¼ to 10c |
| Bridge bolts | 6¼ to 9c |

Machine bolts at the usual list price. Thimble skeins and pipe boxes at standard list. Coach and lag screws at New England list, with same disount to the trade.

## BOOT AND SHOE MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

We give the wholesale prices current, which will on comparison with the quotations given in Chicago, Cincinnati and other Western markets, be found considerably lower, showing the advantage of purchasing here. The prices are as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| Men's thick boots | $2 75@4 50 |
| Men's pegged calf boots | 3 00@6 00 |
| Men's kip boots | 3 00@4 00 |
| Men's custom kip boots | 4 00@5 00 |
| Men's split kip boots | 3 00@3 75 |
| Men's wax brogans | 1 50@2 25 |
| Men's split brogans | 1 25@1 75 |
| Men's grain boots | 3 00@5 00 |
| Boy's thick boots | 2 00@3 00 |
| Boy's kip boots | 2 00@3 00 |
| Youth's kip boots | 1 75@2 25 |
| Youth's thick boots | 1 25@2 25 |
| Women's buff balmorals | 1 25@2 00 |
| Women's calf balmorals | 1 37@2 25 |
| Women's goat balmorals | 1 50@2 25 |
| Misses' goat balmorals | 1 25@2 00 |
| Misses' calf balmorals | 1 25@1 87 |
| Misses' buff balmorals | 87@1 50 |
| Children's buff and calf balmorals | 55@1 12 |
| Ladies' lasting Congress gaiters | 1 00@3 00 |
| Ladies' lasting balmorals | 1 25@3 00 |
| Ladies' goat, sewed | 1 50@3 00 |
| Ladies' glove kid, sewed | 2 25@3 50 |
| Women's rubber overshoes | 90@ 90 |
| Men's rubber overshoes | 1 12@1 25 |

## MANILLA, HEMP, AND TARRED CORDAGE, OAKUM, &c.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

The market for goods, under this head, is firm. We quote the card prices as follows:

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| Manilla cordage | 22½ |
| Manilla cordage, 6 and 9 thread | 23½ |
| Hawser laid oil well rope | 22½ |
| American hackled hemp tarred cordage | 22 |
| American hemp rope | 25 |
| Houseline, marline, etc | 28 |
| Spun yarn | 25 |
| American hemp packing | 20@25 |
| Oakum, ₱ bale | $7 00 |
| Sash and bell cords | 45 |
| Bed cords, Manilla, ₱ dozen; Bed cords, hemp | $2 25, 4 00@6 00 |
| No. 2, Flax Twine ₱ lb | 33 |
| No. 3, do | 40 |
| No. 4, do | 45 |
| No. 5, do | 53 |
| No. 6, do | 55 |
| No. 7, do | 57 |
| No. 8, do | 60 |
| No. 10, do | 68 |
| Wrapping twine | 25 |
| Colored broom-sewing twine | 45 to 55 |
| Wool twine | 25 to 30 |
| Broomsewing twine | 30 |
| Carpet chain | 30 |
| Carpet chain colored | 35 |

## FRUIT MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

The market is moderately active. The quotations for Foreign Fruits, &c., are as follows:

| | | | |
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| Green Corn, 2 lb cans | $3 75 to 4 00 | Filberts, ₱ lb | 16 to 18c |
| New Layer Raisins, ₱ box | $4 75 to 5 00 | Naples Walnuts, ₱ lb | 25c |
| New Bunch Raisins, ₱ box | $4 50 to 4 75 | Brazil Nuts, ₱ lb | 23c |
| Valencia Raisins ₱ lb | 18@22c | Pecans, ₱ lb | 26 to 28c |
| Oranges, ₱ box | $6 00 | No. 1 Herring, ₱ box | 65c |
| Seedless Raisins mat | $10 00 | Sealed Herring ₱ box | 85c |
| New Figs, ₱ lb | 25@27c | Strawberries 2 lb cans ₱ doz | $5 25 to 5 50 |
| Pears, 2 lb cans | $4 00 to 4 25 | Pine Apples, 2 lb cans ₱ doz | $5 25 |
| Lemons, new, ₱ box | $6 00 to 5 25 | Peaches, 2 lb cans ₱ doz | $4 75 to 5 00 |
| French Prunes, ₱ lb | 18@18½c | Blackberries, 2 lb cans ₱ doz | $4 00 to 4 25 |
| Turkey Prunes, ₱ lb | 24c | Cherries, 2 lb cans, ₱ doz | $4 75 |
| Bordeaux Almonds, ₱ lb | 45c | Pickles in vinegar, extra quality ₱ 100. | $1 15 |
| Ivica Almonds, ₱ lb | 35c | Pickles—2d quality | 95c |
| Sicily Almonds, ₱ lb | 35c | Green Apples, ₱ bbl | $2 50 to 4 25 |
| French Walnuts, ₱ lb | 18 to 20c | Peas, 2 lb cans | $2 75 to 4 25 |
| Tomatoes, 2 lb cans | $2 50 to 2 75 | | |

## GLASS MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

We quote as follows, which is the uniform standard price throughout the United State, viz:

| | 2d quality. | 1st quality. |
|---|---|---|
| 6 by 8 to 8 by 10 | $5 50 | $6 50 |
| 8 by 11 to 10 by 15 | 6 00 | 7 00 |
| 11 by 14 to 12 by 18 | | 8 00 |
| 13 by 18 to 16 by 24 | | 8 50 |
| 18 by 22 to 18 by 30 | | 10 50 |
| 20 by 30 to 24 by 30 | | 12 00 |
| 24 by 30 to 24 by 36 | | 13 00 |
| 25 by 36 to 30 by 44 | | 15 00 |
| 30 by 45 to 32 by 48 | | 16 00 |

DOUBLE THICK CHARGED BY DOUBLE ABOVE RATES.

All fractions of inches shall be counted as full inches, and all sizes not specified in the classification shall be charged according to bracket, indicated by greatest length or breadth.

## WROUGHT IRON WELDED TUBES.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

The following is the Manufacturers' Price List:

| Size. Inside Diameter. | Price Per Ft. | Price per foot Galvanized. |
|---|---|---|
| ⅛ inch Gas Pipe | 9 | .... |
| ¼ do | 10 | .... |
| ⅜ do | 13 | 18 |
| ½ do | 14 | 20 |
| ¾ do | 18 | 25 |
| 1 do | 26 | 34 |
| 1¼ do | 33 | 43 |
| 1½ do | 43 | 52 |
| 2 do | 62 | .... |
| 2½ do | 1 12 | 1 35 |
| 3 do | 1 62 | 1 90 |
| 3½ do | 2 00 | |
| 4 do | 2 50 | |
| 5 do | 3 44 | |

## CRACKER MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

The following are the card prices:

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| Boston Crackers | 11½ | Cream Crackers | 20 |
| Wine " | 12½ | Graham Wafers | 12½ |
| Soda " | 11 | Milk Biscuit | |
| Oyster " | 11 | Ginger Snaps | 16 |
| Water " | 10½ | Pilot Bread | 9 |
| Butter " | 12½ | Cracker Meal | 10½ |
| Sugar " | 13 | Almond Nuts | 17 |
| Graham " | | Fancy Crackers | |
| Dyspepsia " | | Assorted Tea Cakes | 16 |

## STEEL MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

The following are the current prices:

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| Best quality refined tool steel | 18c |
| Machinery steel | 15c |
| Cast spring steel | 15c |
| German spring steel | 13c |
| Blister steel | 11½@17c |
| Cast plow steel | 15c |
| German plow steel | 13c |

## ALE MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

| | ₱ bbl | ₱ hf bbl |
|---|---|---|
| X Ale | $10 00 | $5 00 |
| X X Ale | 11 00 | 5 50 |
| India | 12 00 | 6 00 |
| Porter | 8 00 | 4 00 |

Four dollars, in addition to the above price, will be charged for barrels, and three dollars for half barrels, which will be allowed on their return.

## PRICE LIST OF TOOLS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

The following is the Card Price List of Tools, &c: One set complete 2½ inch joint and slab jar, $350. One set complete 2⅜ inch joint and link jar, $310. one set complete 2 inch joint and link jar, $300. Improved grabs, $25@$30; Valve Sockets, $30; Band wheel shaft and flanges, $50 60; Pitman straps, $16 00; Sansom port iron, $15.

## COPPER MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

Prices are as follows:

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| Braziers' Coppers 30x60 inches | 38c |
| Bolt Coppers | 38c |
| Sheathing, 14x48 inches | 38c |
| Copper Bottoms | 47½@50c |

## SOAP AND CANDLES.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

We quote the market moderately active at the following quotations:

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| Chemical Olive, ₱ lb | 10c | Rosin No. 2, ₱ lb | 5c |
| Variegated Toi't | 18c | Castile, ₱ lb | 13c |
| Palm | 11c | Barber, ₱ doz | $3 00 |
| Detersive | 12c | Honey, ₱ doz | 75c |
| German | 13c | Dip and Mould Candles | 15c |
| Opodeldock | 15c | Star Candles | 23c |
| Rosin No. 1 | 10c | Crystaline | 20c |

## TOBACCO MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

The following are the card prices:

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| Spun Roll | 74@75 | Ladies' Twist | $1 15@1 25 |
| Union Twist | 75@80 | Rough & Ready | 1 20 |
| Flounders | 75@80 | Scotch Snuff | 75@80 |
| Tens | 80 | Copenh'n Snuff | 80@85 |
| Navy | 68@70 | Rappee Snuff | 70@75 |
| Young America | 1 00@1 10 | Cut and Dry | 20@28 |
| Diamond Twist | 1 00@1 10 | Black Fat | 75@80 |
| Six Twist | 33@35 | | |

## WRAPPING PAPER AND RAG MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY, March 23, 1867.

There is a good demand for Wrapping Paper. The quotations are as follows:

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| Cr. ₱ bdl | 55c |
| Md. ₱ bdl | 85c |
| D. C. ₱ bdl | $1 10 |

Rags in good demand at from 5@6c, as to quality.

## New York Finance and Trade.

### Gold Closed at 134⅛.

NEW YORK, March 22—P. M.

RAILWAY MARKET

Steady at open board, and afterwards in the long room. No pressure to sell. At the regular board the market was stronger, and after call there was an improvement of ½@⅝ per cent. Market generally steady at ten o'clock board, although not quite up to the highest point previous to the session. The market at second board was firmer. Gold 134⅛.

STOCK MARKET

Heavy at last open board, and weak afterwards in long room. The closing prices in many instances were nearly down to the lowest point of the morning. Wm. Heath & Co., report the following closing rates, at 5:30 P. M.: Ohio and Mississippi certificates, 27¼; Canton Co., 47@47¼; Cumberland, 32@33½; Quicksilver, 39@37½; Mariposa, 8@8¼; Mariposa preferred, 22¼@22⅜; Western Union Telegraph, 41; Pacific Mail, 124½@125; Atlantic, 83@84; New York Central, 105⅛@105¼; Erie, 58⅝@58¾; Hudson River, 131@132; Reading, 101⅛@101¼; Michigan Central, 108½; Michigan Southern, 73⅜@73½; Illinois Central, 115½@115⅝; Pittsburgh, 79½@79⅝; Toledo, 118@119½; Rock Island, 96⅜@96½; Northwestern, 35⅛@35⅜; Northwestern preferred, 65⅛@65¼; Fort Wayne, 95⅝@95¾.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

Generally steady and quiet, the closing prices being: Registered 1881, 109@109⅛; Coupons 1881, 109@109⅛; 5-20 Registered 1862, 107¼@107½; 5-20 Coupons 1862, 109⅛@109¼; 5-20 Coupons 1864, 107⅛@107¼; 5-20 Coupons 1865, 107⅛@108; do January and July, 107@107⅛; 10-40's Registered, 97⅛@97¼; 10-40 Coupons 97⅛@97¼; August 7-30's, 105⅜@105½; June, 105⅜@105½. Border State Bonds higher on issues of Missouri and otherwise steady; Missouri, 96⅛@97; Indiana fives, 91½.

COAL AND MISCELLANEOUS SHARES

Were without special change and quiet.

MONEY MARKET

Quite active early in the day and all business done at 7 per cent., but towards the close of the banks there was an easier feeling, and some loans were made at 6 per cent. Prime discounts quiet at 7@8 per cent.

GOLD MARKET

Rather more active during the morning, but as the day advanced became quiet; last sales 134⅛; cash gold loaned at 3-32 per cent. premium to flat.

MINING SHARES.

The market showed increased activity and animation to-day on nearly all the leading shares. The largest busines was in Gregory, and the stock fluctuated between 11@11 40, closing at 11 20. Quartz Hill quiet at 3 50@5; Corydon sold freely at 3 75@4; Columbia gold, 6; silver active at 3@3 05; increased business in Alemeda, 7 50@7 55.

The prices of mining stocks bid in Boston to-day were Canada 50; Copper Falls 21; Franklin 21; Hancock 6; Huron 15; Minnesota 9; Quincy 34.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Money market steady at 6@7c for call loans. Sterling quiet at 8⅝@9, gold, for first class bills. Gold without material change, at 134⅛. Governments without decided change. Freights to Liverpool quiet and without change.

## MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

### CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, March 22, 1867.

Money market without any new feature.

FLOUR—Fairly active, and steady at the prices of yesterday.

WHEAT—Not so active; holders are firm; sales of No 2 at $2 12½@2 14, the market closing quiet at $2 13@2 14.

CORN—Lower, with an active speculative demand; sales 230,000 bushels at 88@89¼c for No 1, closing at 88@88¼c.

OATS—Steady but quiet at 44½@44¾c for Winter; 45@45½c for fresh receipts of No 2.

RYE—2@3c lower, closing quiet at $1 20 for Winter, and $1 22 for fresh receipts of No 1.

BARLEY—Quiet, but steady; sales light at 78@80c for No. 2.

HIGHWINES—No movement in highwines; market altogether nominal.

PROVISION MARKET—Is dull. Mess pork inactive and nominal at $22 50; some inquiry for short rib middles; sales at 10½c, loose.

LARD—Dull at 12⅝c for prime steam rendered, closing with free sellers at that figure.

DRESSED HOGS—In better supply and more active; sales at $8 50@9 30⅛ ₱ 100; market for nice, smooth live hogs firm; sales $7@7 80.

RECEIPTS—4,700 bbls flour; 3,359 centals wheat; 21,372 centals corn; 3,500 hogs.

SHIPMENTS—4,900 bbls flour; 3,984 centals wheat; 1,258 centals corn.

### New York Market.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Cotton steady, with a fair business doing; sales 2,000 bales at 30½@31c for middling uplands. Flour: Receipts 3,716 bbls; market 10@15 cents better; sales 9,300 bbls at $9 25@10 65 for superfine, State and Western; $10 95@12 10 for extra Western; $12 20@13 60 for choice do; $11 60@12 45 for shipping brands, extra round hoop Ohio, and $12 50@13 60 for trade brands. The market closing firm. California flour very firm; sales 1,200 bbls and sacks at $14 50@15 00. Whisky quiet and firm. Receipts of Wheat none; market 2@3c better; sales 56,000 bush at $2 48@2 55 for No 2 Milwaukee, $3 10@3 20 for white California—the latter for choice; $3 15 for white Canada, and $3 12@3 15 for amber State. Rye firm; sales 8,000 bushels winter at $1 33. Barley firm; sales 37,000 bushels Canada West, Pee, $1 15@1 25. Barley malt quiet. Receipts of Corn, 3,340 bushels. Market 2c lower. Sales 83,000 bushels at $1 16@1 16½ for mixed Western in store; $1 17 do afloat; $1 17 for new Southern yellow, and $1 12 for new mixed Western at railroad depot. The receipts of oats were 5,500 bushels. Oats a shade easier; sales 24,000 bushels at 62½@65c for Western, and 70@71c for State. Hops quiet and steady. Rice quiet at 10¼@10½c. Coffee quiet and firm. Sugar quiet; sales 300 bhds Cuba at 10¼@11c. Molasses steady; sales 800 bhds Demarara at 47@65. Petroleum steady at 16c for crude, and 24@27c for refined in bond. Pork firm and quiet; sales 3,300 bbls at $23 62@23 87 new mess, closing at $23 60 cash; $22 25@23 75 for old mess; $19 50@19 87 for prime and $21 75@21 82 for prime mess, and $22 25@23 87 new mess at $23 90@23 95, sellers and buyers, April and May. Beef firmer; sales 550 bbls at $18 00@19 50 for new plain mess, and $18@22 for new extra mess. Beef hams firm at $27 00@31 00. Bacon a shade easier; sales 675 boxes at 10⅝@10 7-16c for Cumberland cut; 11¼@11½c for short ribbed and 11⅝c for short clear. Cut meats firm; sales 325 pkgs at 9½@10c for shoulders and 12½@13½c for hams. Lard dull and heavy; sales 680 bbls at 12¼@13¼c. New butter dull and heavy at 11@20c for Ohio. Cheese steady at 13@18c.

LATEST—5 P. M.—Flour closed firm and a shade higher for medium grades. Wheat has an upward tendency; No. 2 spring $2 48@2 55; sales 2,000 bus No. 1 spring at $2 75. Rye firm at $1 33 for western. Oats dull and lower, at 62@64c for western. Corn steady at $1 16½ in store, and $1 17 afloat, for shipping mixed western. Pork quiet; sales 750 bbls mess at $24, buyers' option, in April, closing with buyers' mess at $23 62½, and sellers' at $23 75, regular; sellers at $23 56¼, cash, and buyers at $23 54. Beef active and unchanged. Cut meats steady and in fair demand. Bacon dull at 10⅝c for Cumberland middles. Lard dull at 12⅝@13c for fair to prime steam, and 11⅝@13¼c for fair to prime kettle rendered.

### Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, March 22.—Flour in better demand and market firm; prices unchanged. Wheat firmer, but demand light; No. 1 spring $2 55@2 60; winter $2 90. Corn rather lower; No. 1, 72@73c; in sacks, 80@82c. Oats firm at 55@56c for No. 1. Rye in demand at $1 45, but held at $1 50, and not much to be had below this rate. Barley firm with good demand; fall at $1 55@1 60. Cotton unsettled and prices nominal; middling upland can be bought at 27c. Whisky held at $2 27, with buyers at $2 26. Mess pork firm at $23 00, without sales. Bulk meats in good demand at 8@10c, but generally held at a quarter higher; sales 700,000 pounds country at 8c for shoulders, 10c for sides and 12½c for hams. The hams were very large, but the shoulders and sides could not have been got at the price without the hams. Bacon steady at 9½, 11¾, and 12½c for shoulders, sides and clear sides. Hams in good demand at 13½c for plain, and 15@15½c for sugar cured. Lard quiet and not much done; prime city made is held at 13c, but there has been no sale at over 12¾c. Groceries unchanged. Butter in good demand at 30@33c for fresh. Eggs dull at 15@16c. A good demand for clover seed, with sales 200 bush at $8 75; all to be had at this rate was taken. Timothy very dull at $2 90@3 00. Flax in good demand for seed at $2 80@2 90. Gold closed at 134 buying, and 134½@134¾ selling. Exchange firm. Currency still going Eaast keeps up balances, bankers pay 50 per thousand, and sell at 1-10 premium. The demand for money continues active at 9@12 per cent.

### New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Dry goods trade fairly active in cotton fabrics, at some slight shading in prices of medium and light weights: Of brown and bleached sheetings and shirtings, the Indian Orchard and Pepperpel brown goods are ½c lower; Medford 4-4 brown reduced to 19c; Wachusetts to 20; do 27-inch, 17c; Portsmouth down to 16½c; Osark to 19½c; Pittsfield A, 16½c; Lyman C, 18½; Masonville and Bates bleached off Chapman, 21½c; New Market, 20; Greene, 15½c; Waltham X, 16⅝ and Canoe 40 inch 19½c. Ticks about ½c lower, and many others of the colored cotton ginghams ½c lower. Prints active. Cashmere delains reduced to 25c. Desirable makes of domestic woolens in request; other styles rather dull and depressed. Imported staple woolen and worsted goods in improved request, at a slight advance. Other styles sell rather slowly.

### Albany Cattle Market.

ALBANY, March 22.—Cattle, although in good request and somewhat better quality than last week, have sold at prices ranging ¼@½c lower. Demand good, especially from the East, some 1500 having been bought for that direction. The prices ranged at 5¼@8c, except for one drove of very choice Illinois steers, averaging 1,450 pounds, which bought for Brighton 9¼. Receipts for the week 4,100. Sheep range at 6¼@9½c. Receipts 6,200. Hogs quoted nominally at 7@7½c. Receipts 2,500.

### Milwaukee Market.

MILWAUKEE, March 22.—Flour quiet but firm; wheat active; per cental $4 00 for No. 1; $3 73 for No. 2; $3 38 for No. 3. Oats declining; $1 57@1 62½ per cental for No. 1 fresh receipts; $1 50 for old. Corn lower; per cental $1 56½ for No. 1. Provisions steady; pickled hams 13½c. Receipts—700 bbls flour; 9,500 centals wheat; 1,500 do oats. Shipments—3,500 bbls flour; 2,600 centals wheat.

### Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, March 22.—Trade dull. Flour firm; sales 1,000 barrels northwestern at $14 25, and superfine at $9 00. Wheat—Prime scarce; California $3 15; red $2 80. Rye steady at $1 55. Corn quiet at $1 12½. Oats at 70c. New mess pork $24 00. Bacon sides 13½; shoulders 11½. Lard firm at 13½c. Whisky, contraband, 75c@$1 00. Sales 1,500 barrels. Petroleum, crude at 15½c; sales 3,000 barrels refined at 28c.

### Buffalo Market.

BUFFALO, March 22.—Flour in good demand and firm; sales 1,000 barrels at $11 75@12 for No. 1 Spring, and $14@15 for Canada. Wheat firm and in moderate inquiry; sales white Canada at $2 80@3; Milwaukee Spring, $2 42; amber Canada, $2 70. Corn quiet and a shade weaker; sales 10 car loads new Toledo at 95c on State line track. Oats dull; small sales Western at 55c. Barley dull, asking $1 05@1 10 for Canada. Rye neglected. New mess pork quiet at $23. Lard and highwines unchanged.

### Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, March 22.—Flour steady but firm. Wheat, good to prime, $2 90 for white. Corn declined 1c; sales at $1 05@1 09. Oats at 66c. Clover steady and stock scarce; new at $9 50, old at $8 75@9. Provisions unchanged.

### St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 22.—Produce market generally dull, and buyers could only be induced to operate by concession from holders. Tobacco active, leaf ranging from 5c to 9c. Cotton heavy and lower, at 26c for middling. Flour quiet; business small and prices unchanged. Wheat—Buyers standing off; small sales made at $4 20@4 25 for prime spring; $5 10 for prime fall, and $5 25@5 30 for choice do. Corn declining, unsettled and closing lower; prices range at $1 69@1 70. Oats unsettled, lower and closing at $1 88@1 94. Barley—Holders firm at $2 50@2 60 for spring; $3 75 for fall. Rye heavy at $2 32 for choice. Provisions nominally unchanged, but slow. Lard unchanged and business small. Whisky quiet at $2 14@2 15.

### Memphis Market.

MEMPHIS, March 22.—Cotton quiet at 28@28½c; receipts 462 bales; exports 1,210 bales; week's receipts, 2,000 bales; exports 6,460 bales; stock, 18,800 bales. Corn active and higher, at $1 12@1 15. Hay quiet and firm at $30 00@32 00. Other markets unchanged.

### Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, March 22.—Sales 157 hhds; tobacco active; common lugs, $2 30; cutting leaf, $21 75. Superfine flour $7 75. Prime red wheat at $2 35. Corn—Ear in bulk, 70c; shelled, 75c. Oats 64c. Mess Pork $22 50. Bacon—Shoulders 9½@9¾c; clear sides, 12¾c; hams, 13½@15½c. Lard, in tierces, 12½c. Raw Whisky, $2 23.

### New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, March 22.—Cotton—Sales to-day of 4,500 bales; market easier; low middling at 29c; receipts of week 14,580 bales; exports 22,087 bales; stock, 213,376 bales. Sugar dull; good fair at 13¼c. Molasses dull; sales at 65@75c for fermenting. Flour in request; superfine $12 25@12 50. Corn dull and drooping at $1 22@1 30. Oats easier at 75@78c. Pork dull and depressed, no sales; round lots offering at $24. Bacon—Only a retail business doing. Lard in good request and unchanged. Gold 134¼@136. Sterling—New York sight unchanged.

### San Francisco Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—Flour in good demand; prices firm; extra $8 20; superfine $5 50; Oregon $5 12@5 50. The principal inquiry for wheat is for Liverpool and New York markets; good to choice $1 80@1 90. Legal tenders 74¼.

### Nashville Cotton Market.

NASHVILLE, March 22.—Cotton market flat; sales 126 bales at 25@26c; received, 245 bales; shipped, 83.

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## RIVER TELEGRAMS.

### Cairo.

CAIRO, March 22.—The weather is cloudy; mercury 49. The river fell an inch and a half in the past twenty-four hours. Business dull. Atlantic, from New Orleans to St. Louis, 3 P. M.; Emerald, from New Orleans to Cincinnati, 4 P. M.; Cornelia, from St. Louis to New Orleans, 4 P. M.; Carrie, from Pittsburgh to St. Louis, 5 P. M.; Charmer, from Evansville and return, 6 P. M.

### Evansville.

EVANSVILLE, IND., March 22.—The river has fallen 21 inches. Weather cloudy. Port list—Carrie from Pittsburgh to Fort Benton; Mary E. Forsyth, New Orleans to Evansville; Silver Moon, Cincinnati to Memphis; Michigan to New Orleans.

### Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, March 22.—Weather cloudy and threatening rain. Mercury 42. River falling fast, with 11½ feet in canal, and 9¼ feet on falls.

### Nashville.

NASHVILLE, March 22.—River rising, with twelve feet on shoals. Weather mild and cloudy. Departures—Rowena, for Cincinnati; Ettie Sullivan, for Evansville.

### Memphis.

MEMPHIS, March 22.—Weather clear and pleasant. Business dull. River stationary. The Arkansas is falling, with nine feet at Little Rock. Departed—Arthur, St. Charles, Alice Dean, for New Orleans; Rubicon, Jennie Lewis, Agnes. Commonwealth, Glasgow, for St. Louis. In port—Mollie Hamilton, Harry Dean, Duke, Mary Swann, Adam Jacobs, Minneola, Bertha.

## RIVER NEWS.

STEAMERS ARRIVED AND DEPARTED.

**Arrived.**

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| Elizabeth | Houghton | Elizabeth. |
| Franklin | Bugher | Greensboro. |
| Elector | Phillips | Greensboro. |
| Elisha Bennett | Cox | Greensboro. |
| Grey Eagle | Brennan | Parkersburg. |

**Departed.**

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| Franklin | Bugher | Greensboro. |
| Elector | Phillips | Greensboro. |
| Elisha Bennett | Cox | Greensboro. |
| Elizabeth | Houghton | Elizabeth. |

THE RIVER AND MATTERS ALONG THE WHARF.—The weather yesterday was very unfavorable for out door trade. We had rain and snow and all kinds of weather. The marks on the pier indicated seven feet and rising. There is a fair prospect of another flood. The Leni Leoti did not go out yesterday. She is detained and is undergoing some necessary repairs, but will resume her trips next week. The river to Oil City is too low for steamboat navigation. Boats have withdrawn. Business on the landing was dull, freights being scarce. The Grey Eagle will be found at the foot of Wood street. She will return to Parkersburg at noon. The fine packet Ida Rees leaves this morning positively for Cincinnati and Louisville. The fine side-wheel steamers Ezra Porter and Maggi Hays are both announced for that port. The favorite steamer Kenton, Capt. Dunlap, is announced for Memphis and New Orleans, and will have dispatch. The Glasgow, Capt. Johnston, is receiving for Missouri river, and will leave as announced. As a general thing trade was dull. The spring season so far has not been extensive.

THE new steamer Legal Tender was sold at St. Louis for the mountain trade.

THE steamers Minnie, Yorktown and Amelia Poe were at St. Louis on Monday last.

THE steamer Glendale, Capt. Hare, passed Cairo on the 20th for St. Louis.

THE Belle Vernon, Captain Darragh, will load in turn for Cairo and St. Louis.

CAPT. ANAWALT'S model barges attracted a good share of attention. They are real beauties, and no mistake.

THE freight steamer R. C. Gray, Capt. W. B. Anderson, will load in turn for Cincinnati and Louisville after the Ida Rees.

THE fine sidewheel passenger steamer Ezra Porter, Captain J. H. Porter, is announced to leave for Cincinnati on Saturday, as a regular weekly packet.

OUR old friend Blood has charge of the office of the Ida Rees, Captain Browne. A pretty strong team this.

THE towboat Rover passed Cairo on the 20th, with four barges loaded with iron ore. Destination, Pittsburgh.

THE St. Louis *Democrat* says that several steamers announced for Fort Benton this season have determined to leave the track.

THE GREAT REPUBLIC.—We learn that this magnificent steamer passed safely over the falls yesterday. So far, this fine craft has been kept in the right place on all occasions. Long may it continue.

THE O. D., or Mountaineer, a new light-draught side wheel boat, built for the mountain trade, was sold at St. Louis, on Tuesday, for $40,005, to Messrs. Woolfolk, Smith and Baker.

THE steamer Leni Leoti left yesterday for Parkersburg, with a fair trip. The weather on the landing was very unfavorable for out-door transactions.

THE fine side-wheel packet Grey Eagle, Captain Brennan, leaves this day at noon for Parkersburg and intermediate ports. This boat is well found in every respect.

EVANSVILLE, March 20.—The Quickstep resumes her trip next Tuesday, Capt. Chess in command. There is great desire here to see the Great Republic. The Wabash river is rising slowly.

THE favorite packet Kenton is now receiving for Memphis and New Orleans. This boat made her last trip from Pittsburgh to New Orleans in eight days, running time.

THE first class passenger steamer Glasgow, Capt. G. W. Johnson, is announced for Missouri river. This boat is one of the best of her class afloat, and is in charge of careful and attentive officers.

BUSINESS on the landing yesterday was very dull. The principal business done was with the steamers loading for the Missouri River. We notice a pretty large emigration going in that direction.

THE fine steamer Luella, Captain Hazlett, is announced for the Idaho gold regions on Tuesday next. This boat has been fitted up expressly for that trade and will be found A No. 1 in every respect. Persons going that way will do well to bear this in mind.

THE first class packet Kenton, Captain J. H. Dunlap, leaves on this day for Memphis and New Orleans. This boat is in fine order and is well found in every respect. So far as regards speed and accommodations, this boat stands A No. 1.

PITTSBURGH STEAMERS LOADING AT CINCINNATI—Great Republic, for New Orleans; America, for Nashville; Camelia, for Johnsonville; Carrie, for Missouri river; Julia No. 2, for Nashville; Argosy and Columbia, for Pittsburgh.

THE new and handsome side-wheel steamer Dubuque, built by Captain Gray for the Northern Packet Company, has changed her day of departure to Saturday, April 6th. This boat has been got up in splendid style, and does credit to owners and builders. She will be commanded by Captain Parker.

BOATS in port at Cincinnati on Thursday: Annie, Great Republic, Columbia, Mary Erwin, Kate Robinson, Mariner, Golden Eagle, Anglo Saxon, New York, Rob Roy, Major Anderson, Camelia, Champion and Robert Burns, Louisville, Sam J. Hale, America, Havana, Lida Norvell, Tahlequah and Nora.

THE Louisville *Courier* says: The ferryboat James Thompson was sunk by striking a broken ringbolt and stern-block at the upper landing. The Indiana had pulled it loose on the former tide, and the ferryboat landed over it, and her weight, as the Indiana was driven on shore, broke a bottom plank, and she soon filled with water.

THURSDAY'S Cincinnati *Commercial* says: The Great Republic, Captain W. B. Donaldson, will take her departure for New Orleans to-day at 12 M., promptly, from the foot of Race street. Several of our citizens have engaged rooms on her, and will go to New Orleans on a pleasure excursion. The chimneys of the Republic will be put up this morning.

THE favorite packet Ida Rees, in charge of Captain Joseph Browne, leaves for Cincinnati and Louisville on this day. Captain Browne is one of the most gentlemanly and attentive officers that comes to this port. We take pleasure in saying a good word for him and his pretty steamer.

THE new barge company has commenced operations. The new model barges are moored at the foot of Wood street and are receiving for Cairo and St. Louis. They are named Dove and Swan, and will be towed out by the towboat Wild Duck. Our old friend Anawalt has charge of affairs, a pretty sure guarantee that all will be correct.

THE Cincinnati *Gazette* is responsible for the following: Capt. Donaldson, of the Great Republic, received a telegram from Pink Varble, at Louisville, saying there would be water enough on the falls on Friday for the steam mastadon, and advised him to take all the freight he could get. Pink wants the Great Republic to take enough freight aboard her, so that there will be no danger of Stut Neal slipping the Richmond to New Orleans aboard of her.

The Paducah *Herald* says: "The river here is still on the rampage and has risen, since our last, about ten inches, and the end is not yet. The water is already two feet higher at this point than the rise of 1865. In some of the lower portions of the town there is sufficient water for 'washing and ironing' purposes. We shall probably have from eighteen to twenty-four inches more water before the river stops rising."

REDUCTION IN WAGES.—The officers of the N. W. Union Packet Company closed their session yesterday, with what result is unknown to outsiders as far as appointments are concerned. The company anticipate a dull season, and to make up for the poor business expected, has, we learn, asked employees to work for a reduction of from 25 to 40 per cent. on last season's wages. P. A. Davidson departed yesterday, leaving notice that there would be a reduction all around, from the captain down to the "shiner," and proposes to cut down pilots, clerks and engineers' pay 25 per cent., and mates 40 per cent., which they could accept or refuse. Negotiations were left open for consideration, to be closed in a week, when the other head-center arrives.—*Dubuque Herald*, 15th.

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